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BRITISH FLEET, BELGIUM, CHANNEL PORTS, IDENMNITY OF 45 BILLIONS, HUN CLAIM

Besides Kaiser Bill Would Have All Captured Colonies Returned, Gibralter Returned to Spain, a Little Recognition for Austria and Some for Turkey and Bulgaria.

TERMS OF PEACE OUTLINED IN PRUSSIAN PAPER

By Associated Press.

PARIS, July 1.—Great Britain must turn over its war fleet to Germany, return Gibraltar to Spain and restore Egypt and the Suez canal to Turkey. Great Britain, France and the United States must pay Germany an indemnity of at least forty-five billion dollars. Belgium and French territory must be surrendered. These are among the conditions included in the German peace program published in the Nachrichten of Goerlitz, Prussia, by Count Roon, a member of the Prussian house of lords, according to a Havas dispatch from Basel, Switzerland.

Count Roon says Germany is entitled to the following terms because of its strength and until they are realized there should be no armistice and no cessation of submarine warfare:

Annexation of Belgium.

Independence of Flanders.

Annexation of the entire Flanders coast, including Calais.

Annexation of the Briey and Longwy basins and the Toul, Belfort and Verdun regions eastward.

Great Britain to cede to Germany such naval bases and coaling stations as Germany designates.

Great Britain must return Gibraltar to Spain, cede its war fleet to Germany, restore Egypt and the Suez canal to Germany.

Restitution to Germany of all her colonies, including Kaiochau.

Greece must be re-established under former King Constantine with frontiers as before the war.

Austria and Bulgaria will divide Servia and Montenegro.

Great Britain, France and the United States must pay all of Germany's war cost, the indemnity being a minimum of $45,000,000,000. They also must agree to deliver raw material immediately.

France and Belgium are to remain occupied at their expense until the conditions are carried out.

BROOKS ENLISTS

By Editor of "The News" But Will Go Into Training School Soon.

William F. Brooks, city editor of The News; Roy W. Honsberger and James R. Stauffer of Acme, will leave on July 15 for the North Carolina state college at Raleigh, N. C., having been specially inducted under a call for auto tradesmen by Local Board for District No. 2. George Gault of Dawson, will go to Lehigh university at South Bethlehem, Pa.

Brooks and Honsberger have been in deferred classes, and at their own request have been assigned to the contingent which leaves on July 15. Local Board No. 5 has the same call open for men in its district, but no requests have yet been made by draftees who wish to take the special training. Any draftee in the first four classes may make application to be sent to the training schools.

EDWARD O'CONNOR NOW IN 35TH ENGINEERS.

Edward J. O'Connor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connor of East Crawford avenue, has been transferred from the 19th Engineers to the 35th Engineers, Company L, according to a letter received by his parents.

CAPTAIN MILLS ON FRENCH SOIL.

Mrs. Georgiana Mills of North Tenth street, has received a card from her son, Captain Harry Mills, announcing his safe arrival overseas. Captain Mills is with the 356th Infantry.

JAMES COOLEY WITH FORCES OVERSEAS.

James Cooley of Fairchance, attached to the 320th Infantry, has arrived safely in France, according to word received by friends here.

CAMERON WILSON IN SOUND OF BIG GUNS.

Cameron Wilson has written from France to his sister, Mrs. George Wager of near Connellsville, that he is located where he can hear the roar of the guns at the front. He speaks highly of the food but is in need of some tobacco. He does not like much smokes, he says. Wilson is with Company B, 327th Infantry.

DR. WALKER TRANSFERRED TO CAMP DIX.

Dr. D. Addison Walker, who for some time has been located at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., has been transferred to Camp Dix, New Jersey. Dr. Walker is a brother-in-law of A. Stickel, and practiced at Hecla previous to enlisting in military service. Mrs. Walker and children are with him at Camp Dix.

MOTHER CONNELLSVILLE BOY IN REGULAR ARMY.

Samuel Gallo of Connellsville enlisted in the Regular Army at the Pittsburg recruiting station on Saturday.

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EDITH McKEE IN TRAINING FOR NURSE.

Miss Edith McKee left Saturday night for Philadelphia to enter the Children's hospital to study to become a trained nurse. Her mother, Mrs. R. S. McKee, accompanied her, returning home this morning. Three Connellsville girls are now training in the Children's hospital, Miss Helen Ward and Miss Donella Schoonover having previously entered.

FAYETTE MAN YOUNGEST NAVAL OFFICER.

Walter L. Davis has been named commander of a United States destroyer patroling the submarine zone according to a letter received by his parents, Director of the Poor and Mrs. E. E. Davison of Uniontown. Commander Davison is thought to be the youngest officer in the navy with that rank.

EDWARD SUDZIAK WITH ALLIED TROOPS.

Edward L. Sudziak, located somewhere in France, writes that he is in the best of spirits and is at a camp where he can see soldiers of all nations. He states that the weather in France is similar to that of our country at this time of the year. Sudziak is with the 112th Ambulance Company, 103rd Sanitary Train. He was formerly a member of the 110th Regiment Hospital Corps.

LAWRENCE MOORMAN IN ENGLISH PORT.

Lawrence Moorman has arrived at a European port on an English ship chartered by the United States for troop transportation according to a letter to his mother, Mrs. H. G. Moorman of South Connellsville. He is second mate.

RAYMOND SMITH TRANSFERRED TO CAMP LAUREL.

Raymond Smith of Sycamore street has been transferred from Camp Humphreys to Camp Laurel, at Laurel, Md. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith.

NICK MARTUCCI SAFE OVERSEAS.

Antonia Martucci has received a letter from his brother, Nick Martucci, telling of his safe arrival overseas. Martucci is attached to Company A, 59th Infantry. He left for "over there" May 1.

SUGAR REGULATIONS

In Effect Today; Users Must Report Their Needs at Once.

Sugar regulations governing the months of July, August and September became effective today. Every user and handler of sugar must immediately report to the county food administrator the stock of sugar on hand July 1 and an estimate of the requirements for the next three months.

Failure so to do by July 15 will deprive users and handlers of the right to buy more sugar during the remainder of the year. This applies to wholesale and retail grocers, bakers, confectioners, ice cream manufacturers, druggists, hotels, public eating houses, boarding houses and all manufacturers or users of sugar; also every dealer in sugar of every kind and class.

A MEDAL CONFERRED BY CITY OF VERDUN TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION

For Benefit of Red Cross at the Picnic at Graham's Crossing on Fourth; Donation of Mrs. K. M. Wallace.

A bronze medal, conferred upon the defenders of Verdun against the terrific assaults of the German army under the Crown Prince in 1916, will be sold at auction at the picnic at Graham's Crossing on the Fourth and the proceeds donated to the Red Cross.

The medal, which is the generous contribution of Mrs. K. M. Wallace to the cause for the relief of war sufferers, was recently received from Mme. Andre Salmont, formerly Miss Zita Wallace of this city. Mme. Salmont received the medal from her husband, Dr. Salmont, a surgeon in the French army, who was stationed at a base hospital near Verdun for two years. All those who took part in the actual defense of the city were awarded the medal. Accompanying the medal, which is now on exhibition in the window of Hooper & Long's store, is a small pamphlet descriptive of the medal, bearing the signature of the acting mayor and the official seal of the city of Verdun. The dedication of the medal is thus expressed:

"To the commanders, to the officers, to the soldiers, and to all; to the heroes, known and unknown, living and dead, who triumphed over the avalanche of the barbarians, and immortalized her name all over the world and for future centuries, the city of Verdun, untaken and standing amid her ruins, dedicates this medal in acknowledgement of her gratitude. (Signed) E. Beytren, the adjutant serving in the office of the mayor at the meeting for the municipal council of Verdun, convened in Paris this 20th day of November, 1816."

This medal, which is perhaps the most valuable of all war relics to reach Connellsville, is certain to invite lively bidding when offered for sale on the Fourth. It is understood that a well known business man of the city has expressed himself as willing to pay at least $1,000 for it.

SUBMARINE SENDS BRITISH HOSPITAL SHIP TO BOTTOM

By Associated Press.

LONDON, July 1.—A Teuton submarine sank the British hospital ship Llandovery Castle, 116 miles southwest of Fastnet, on June 27, the British admiralty announced today.

The Llandovery Castle was homeward bound from Canada. She carried 258 persons. This total included 80 Canadian army medical corps men and 14 female nurses.

One boat containing 24 survivors so far has reached port.

BYERS FLENNIKEN KILLED

Well Known Dawson Man Falls Under Train in New Castle Yards.

Falling between cars of his train in the New Castle yards of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad yesterday, Byers Flenniken, formerly of Connellsville but more recently of Dawson, was so badly injured that he died a few hours later at the New Castle hospital. The accident happened at noon. He died at 5 o'clock in the evening. The remains were brought to Dawson and removed by Undertaker W. H. Parkhill to the home of a sister, Mrs. W. B. Niswonger, where funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, followed by interment in Cochran cemetery.

Mr. Flenniken had been on the railroad about a year. He boarded at the Dickerson Run Y. M. C. A. He was a son of the late Thomas and Jennie Flenniken of Carmichaels. In 1898 he was married to Miss Margaret McLaughlin of Connellsville. Mrs. Flenniken died several years ago. There survive two daughters, Nell and Ethel of Connellsville, a brother, John Flenniken of Dawson, and the following sisters: Mrs. Niswonger, Dawson; Mrs. Albert Fleming, Connellsville; Mrs. George Cochran, Jr., Connellsville, and Mrs. S. J. Cossell, Homer City.

Mrs. Irwin Asks Hearing.

Application for a habeus corpus hearing on behalf of Mrs. Sarah Irwin alias Sara Wright, charged with the murder of Raymond Bartelli by Patsy Medio, recently found guilty of the crime, has been filed and a hearing will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock before Judge E. H. Reppert. The writ was filed by Attorney S. Ray Shelby who has been retained by Mrs. Irwin.

Wagon Works Not Sold.

The transfer of the Crossland Wagon works on the West Side, announced Saturday, was on a lease for a year and not a sale, Harry T. Crossland said today.

NEW GERMAN GAS MAKES MEN VERY SICK AT STOMACH

One of Latest Hun Weapons Described in Earl Russell's Letter.

PENETRATES MEN'S MASKS

Then the Teuton Gunners Follow This Up With Others While They Are Cleaning the Masks; Effects of Mustard Gas Are Described by Writer.

For every despicable trick the Huns may attempt to play upon the American soldiers, they may rest assured they will be paid, and paid with interest. That is the determination of every boy who has gone Over There, and while they are waiting for the time to "go after" the Huns, they are working with all their might to get ready to call the turn on any trick the minions of Bill Kaiser may devise.

"We are working hard and any number of hours," writes Earl K. Russell, of Company E, 15th Engineers, in a letter to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Werner. "But it is to beat the Huns, so we are willing to work. They spring some new, low-down trick every day. They are capable of and are practicing every dastardly trick under the sun. But we are going to pay them back in their own style. If it's fighting they want, we will surely give them all they want. Believe me, we are going to make them sorry they ever fired a gun or cut down a tree. It just takes a new stunt like this to put us in the spirit of exterminating the whole German army.

"They have a new kind of gas that they shoot over. If a person is unfortunate enough to be caught napping and get a whiff of it, they are made very sick at the stomach, and a few minutes after the gas mask has been adjusted the victim is seized with violent vomiting. It is but a short time until the mask fills up to the wearer's eyes and has to be removed. It is just at that moment that the cowards send over another and deadly gas to catch the poor unfortunate who is trying to change masks or clean out the old one. It takes just one nights experience with these gases to make the most timid boy in the American bunch fight like an Indian.

"The mustard gas that the Huns use is another torture. The gas attacks all tender parts of the body, under the arms and knees, around the neck and waist causing much suffering as it eats into the skin.

"This morning we had quite an honor conferred upon our company. We were lined up along a road for morning inspection by our company officers. The captain was proceeding with the inspection when who should drive up but one of the greatest men in the world today; the man entrusted with the command of the American Army in France.—General Pershing. He alighted from his machine, walked over to our company and passed up and down our ranks giving each man a looking over from his shoes to his tin hat. He did not have a single fault to find with either our officers or the enlisted men. This was a very rare occurrence, it being unusual for the commanding general of an army as large as ours is here to stop and inspect a single company. It pleased all of us.

"I met a Y. M. C. A. secretary, a Lutheran minister from Philadelphia, who knows Rev. Burgess. I was detailed as his assistant for a month. I certainly am glad that Connellsville responded so well to the Third Liberty Loan. We need the money. Oh! you haven't any idea of the enormous cost of the war; you could not have without being over here to see what is being done.

"I think we have the Huns in a box. We could drive them from France with the army we have now, but the sacrifice in human lives on our side would be great. The generals of the Allies are saving as many men as possible. The Germans are slowly beating themselves, just as a moth beats out its life against a covered flame. We can hold them, and hold them to the finish!"

Beatty Improves.

William Beatty, who has been in the Morgantown hospital for the past two weeks for treatment of injuries suffered while at work, was brought to his home here Saturday evening. Mr. Beatty is a Baltimore & Ohio brakeman, and he was found lying along the railroad tracks at Morgantown in an unconscious condition.

Made Head Nurse.

Miss Viola Addis has gone to Philadelphia where she will be head nurse at the Presbyterian hospital, where she was graduated in nursing, for a few months.

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and Tuesday is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1918	1917
Maximum	90	83
Minimum	64	69
Mean	72	76

The Yough river rose during the night from 1.10 feet to 1.30 feet.

LUNCHES FOR COKE WORKERS AFTER THEY WORK TURN FOURTH

Graham Grove Picnic Committees Will Look After All Who Attend Red Cross Benefit.

To accommodate men who are going to work a full day at the coal and coke plants in this region on the Fourth of July, arrangements have been made by the picnic committee of the lodges which will hold a corn and ox roast at Graham's Grove on that day for the benefit of the Red Cross, to provide them with a lunch any time after they have worked their turn. The lunch will be served hot all day and there will be enough on hand for everyone.

After hearing of the decision of the operators to work a full day on the Fourth of July, on account of the necessity of keeping up the coal and coke supply, the picnic committee met and arranged to have the lunch served hot all day, in order that the mine employes could get their day in and then go to the grove afterwards.

Everything is in readiness for one of the biggest picnics ever held in Fayette county. Fair weather is promised by the weather man, and ticket committees report that sales are going heavy. The entire amount raised at the picnic will be turned over to the Red Cross. Every lodge in the city is participating in the picnic.

Antonio Bufano has completed the sporting program which alone is worth the price of an admission ticket. Boxing bouts and wrestling matches will be staged. Three fistic matches have been arranged and they are of the same high class which is given in any city.

The picnic will last the entire day, from 10 o'clock in the morning until night. Committees are preparing the grove and other committees have taken care of the ox and corn roast.

TWO MILLIONS TO BE SPENT BY W. M. IN IMPROVEMENTS

Work at Cumberland, Md., to Begin Immediately; Yards to Be Expanded.

The Western Maryland railroad, under the direction of Mr. Thompson of its engineering department, has begun improvements in the vicinity of Cumberland that will entail an expenditure of two million dollars and will probably require 18 months to complete.

In the course of a few days the Anderson Bros. steam shovel outfit from Altoona will be scraping off the mountain side at the upper end of Ridgeley, preparatory to the laying of four tracks of one hundred cars capacity. A better connection will thus be made between the Ridgeley and Knobmount yards, and the latter are to be expanded through the construction of an additional track on Cedar Cliff curve. Rockwood and Garrett passing sidings will be extended to make the road a double track system between Rockwood Junction and Garrett, a distance of five and a half miles. The coal from the Pennsylvania region will be diverted to the Western Maryland from the Somerset and Cambria branch of the Baltimore & Ohio at Rockwood Junction.

At the request of Director General McAdoo the Western Maryland will soon discontinue service between Cumberland and Pittsburg that they may be able to move the vast amount of coal from these regions to the seashore.

$4,000,000 COAL DEAL

In Sale of Zimmerman Interests in the Quemahoning Coal Company.

The report is current in Somerset that D. B. Zimmerman has disposed of his holdings in the Quemahoning Coal company to a syndicate of New York capitalists for a consideration of $4,000,000. The deal is said to be for Mr. Zimmerman's entire holdings in this enterprise, consisting of more than 90 per cent of the capital stock.

The Quemahoning Coal company is the largest independent coal mining operation in Somerset county. It operates the Ralphton, Zimmerman and Rockwood plants, which produced approximately 700,000 tons of coal last year. The product of these mines, known in the tide water markets as "Admiralty coal," has long been used by our naval vessels.

ENGINE NOT FEASIBLE

Unfavorable Report on Invention Designed to Get Power From Air.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—An unfavorable report on "garabed," the mysterious engine which its inventor claims would take power out of the air and propel anything from an airplane to a battleship, was submitted to the Interior Department today by the committee of scientists, which tested the invention at Boston Saturday, with the approval of congress.

The committee announced it did not believe the principles of the inventor, Garabed P. Girrovissin, were sound or his devices operative or that they could result in practical development of free energy.

Killed Under Fall.

Mike Gosal was instantly killed Saturday when he was caught by a fall of slate in the mines of the Connellsville Central Coke company.

GERMANS OCCUPY TIFLIS, CHIEF CITY IN CAUCASUS; WESTERN FRONT IS ACTIVE

Capture of Asiatic City is Announced in Delayed Telegraph Dispatch From That Front; German-Austrian Prisoners in Region Being Organized; French and British Improve Positions.

GRAND DUKE MICHAEL ISSUES FIRST MANIFESTO

By Associated Press.

LONDON, July 1.—German troops have occupied Tiflis, the capital of the Caucasus government and the largest city in the Caucasus district, says a delayed Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Moscow. Organization of Austrian and German war prisoners in that region has been begun by the Germans.

FRENCH ADD MORE TERRITORY IN OFFENSIVES.

PARIS, July 1.—French troops last night carried out an operation on the Marne front south of the Ourcq which resulted in the improvement of the French positions in the vicinity of Passy-en-Valois. The Germans counter attacked in an effort to recover the ground gained by the French Saturday night in the vicinity of Moslay on this front. The enemy was repulsed. The French retained their new positions in their entirety.

ANDREW MADER, DUNBAR YOUTH, IS SEVERELY WOUNDED IN BATTLE

Andrew Mader, a well known Dunbar boy, has been severely wounded in battle, according to a telegram received by his sister, Miss Anna Mader, from the War Department.

Young Mader's parents are both dead, and J. R. Foltz of Dunbar is his guardian. He spent all his life at Dunbar until his enlistment in the service about a year ago.

I. T. U. DOING ITS SHARE

In Furnishing Men for Army and Navy and Buying Liberty Bonds.

The annual report of the International Typographical Union shows that this organization and its members are bearing their full part in the war. On June 15, 4,081 journeymen members and 555 apprentices were in the army and navy forces of the United States and Canada. Of this number 75 have fallen in battle or died in the military camps in America. To the dependents of these men mortuary benefits have been paid to the amount of $23,150.

The union has invested $90,000 in Liberty Bonds and the subordinate organizations and individual members have invested more than $3,000,000 in these securities. The earnings of the 82,000 members for the past year amounted to more than $73,000,000.

That the members are in accord with President Marsden G. Scott's declaration that "There should be no strikes or lockouts during the war," is shown from the fact that the strike expenses of the year were but $1,237.

Connellsville Union, No. 321, has furnished three men for military and navy service: Ralph F. Sliger, of The Courier office; Louis J. Cole, of The News office, and Frank Cox from the Pryce Printing company.

YOUGH CLAIMS VICTIM

Rumanian Employe at B. & O. Yards Gets Beyond His Depth.

The Youghiogheny river claimed another victim Saturday night about 6.30 o'clock, when A. Krigian, 28 years old, a Rumanian, was drowned while in bathing at a point in the river near the Baltimore & Ohio shops.

Krigian, who was one of 40 men employed on the repair tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, with several other men went into the river. They had not been in the water long when Krigian, who was unable to swim, got beyond his depth and sank. Efforts of his fellow bathers to rescue him were fruitless. Later the body was recovered by men in boats. A large crowd gathered on the bridge and the lower yards when the body was brought down on an engine and taken charge of by Funeral Director J. E. Sims. Funeral arrangements will not be made until the arrival of relatives of Krigian. Rev. M. S. Kanaga, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal church, will have charge of the services. Krigian was single.

19 ARE REJECTED

Cards Naming Draftees Not Fit For Service Arrive Here.

Cards announcing the rejection of 19 draftees who had been sent to training camps by local Board for District No. 5 were received this morning. The names of the men rejected follow:

Bert Raymond and William T. Shipley, both of Stewarton, sent to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., on June 1; Heiskell C. Hoover, William R. King, Ira Piper, George Feigel, Roy E. Shives, Mike Connolly, Perry G. Ohler, Jacob Hall, Samuel Raum, Harry H. Brown, George William Miller, James E. McDowell, Thomas E. Ravenscraft, John K. Thomas, Earl Myers and Mike Jareski, all sent to Camp Lee on May 29; and Albert G. Hirst, recently sent to Carnegie Tech in Pittsburg.

MICHAEL CALLS ON RUSS TO OVERTHROW BOLSHEVIK.

LONDON, July 1.—Grand Duke Michael is reported to have issued a manifesto stating that he considered it his duty to restore and regenerate the Russian people, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Moscow under date of June 25. He calls upon the people to overthrow the present government.

BRITISH FORCES IMPROVE THEIR POSITIONS.

LONDON, July 1.—British troops last night in a minor operation in the region northwest of Albert effected an improvement in the British positions and captured machine guns and prisoners, the war office announced today.

Activity of the German artillery in the region between Albert and Arras and in sectors of the Flanders front is reported in today's war office statement.

Taking the aggressive south of the Aisne the French captured a German strong point near Cutry, southwest of Soissons, adding to their recent gains in this sector.

PERSHING REPORTS 49 IN CASUALTY LIST.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The Army casualty list today contained 49 names, divided as follows: Killed in action, 5; died of wounds, 4; died of accidents and other causes, 5; died of disease, 7; died of aeroplane accident, 1; wounded severely, 26; missing in action, 1.

ALLIED AVIATORS KILL AND WRECK AT MANNHEIM.

PARIS, July 1.—Five persons were killed and 14 injured at Mannheim, Germany, Saturday morning by bombs dropped by Allied aviators, says a Havas dispatch from Basel. Severe property damage also resulted.

BOLSHEVIK TURNS OVER FLEET TO GERMANY.

LONDON, July 1.—The Bolshevik government has surrendered to Germany a part of the Russian Black Sea fleet which fled to Novo Rossysk, when the Germans captured Sebastopol, says an official telegram from Moscow. The other ships were blown up by their crews. Germany has promised not to use the warships and to return them to Russia after the conclusion of peace.

AMERICAN CASUALTIES TO DATE TOTAL 10,383.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Casualties in the American expeditionary forces thus far reported total 10,383. Of this number 9,131 were in the Army, and 1,252 in the Marine Corps.

Army casualties were as follows: Killed in action (including 291 lost at sea), 1,491; died of wounds, 479; died of disease, 1,287; died of accident and other causes, 465; wounded in action, 5,024; missing in action (including prisoners), 385.

The summary of casualties among the marines follows. Deaths, 407; wounded, 842; in hands of enemy, 81; missing, 2.

WILSON FAVORS FEDERAL CONTROL OF WIRES.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—President Wilson today informed the House Interstate Commerce Commission that he is heartily in favor of legislation authorizing the government to take over the telegraph and telephone lines. A resolution authorizing the President to take over the lines probably will be reported favorably by the committee this afternoon.

NOTHING TO REPORT, SAYS PERSHING.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Except for increased artillery activity on both sides in the Chateau Thierry region, General Pershing's communique today said there was nothing to report for yesterday from the American front.

CREW OF CALIFORNIAN SAFELY LANDED.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The crew of the American steamer Californian,

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Charming patriotic appointments in keeping with the Fourth of July prevailed at a delightful children's party at which Mrs. T. H. Brennan of Chicago, was hostess Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brennan, in Johnston avenue, in honor of the sixth birthday of her little daughter, Mariwin. The hours were from 2.30 to 5 o'clock. A color scheme of red, white and blue, with American flags forming the attractive decorations, was carried out. Various games were played, and each child was given a red, white and blue cap as a favor. A musical program, including selections by a talking machine, was greatly enjoyed by the little guests. Later a daintily arranged luncheon was served on the lawn. The center of the table held a large Jack Horner pie, attached to which were streamers of red ribbon extending to the place of each. At the other end of the ribbon was a dainty favor. There was also a birthday cake, holding six candles, significant of the age of the honor guest. Mrs. Brennan had as her aides Misses Ruth and Esther Humbert. Out of town guests were Regina and John Doyle of Pittsburg, and Margaret Donnelly of Brownsville. Fourteen small guests were present.

Miss Genevieve Soisson, Miss Anena Soisson, Miss Ann Donnelly and Miss Marion McMahon, of Chicago, Miss Genevieve Soisson's house guest, with Robert White of Connellsville, Charles Miller of Scottdale and Robert F. Hopwood, Jr., of Uniontown, spent Saturday evening at the Summit hotel, Uniontown, attending the dinner dance.

The monthly business and social meeting of the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church will be held tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock in the church. All young people of the congregation are invited.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Ruth Beeghley of South Connellsville, and Sergeant Cloyd Groah, solemnized Saturday in the parsonage of the Baptist church in Hempstead, N. Y. The bride, who is a daughter of S. A. Beeghley of South Connellsville, returned home this morning. The soldier bridegroom, who is with Company G, 53rd Infantry, is at an embarkation camp, awaiting orders to leave for duty overseas.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the First Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the church chapel.

The Joseph McCoanell Bible class of the First Presbyterian church will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. E. Markell in Isabella road.

Mrs. J. W. Trenbeath will entertain the O. N. T. Fancywork club Wednesday afternoon at her home in South Connellsville.

The following ushers will serve during the month at the First Presbyterian church: W. L. Wright, George Griffin, C. F. Hirst, A. B. Morton, James May, Hugh Sauter and Ripley Laughrey.

Mr. C. W. Miller gave a chicken dinner in honor of his ten children at his home in South Connellsville yesterday. His family includes Mr. and Mrs. John K. Ritenour and son Harry of McKeesport; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berlin and daughter, Oma Geraldine of Scottdale; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Reagan of Greensburg; Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and three children of Indian Head; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker and two children of Moyer; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and son Charles.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Guild of the Trinity Episcopal church will be held Wednesday evening, July 3, at the home of Mrs. Paul Gerke in East Washington avenue.

Owing to the Fourth there will be no meeting of the Business Women's Christian association this week.

The monthly business meeting of the Win One class of the United Brethren church will be held Tuesday evening at the home of P. B. Noon at East Connellsville, the members leaving on the 8 o'clock car. The regular meeting of the W. M. A. will be held Friday afternoon at the church at which time a report will be made of the convention in Wilkinsburg.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Miller was the scene of a very enjoyable gathering yesterday, the affair being in honor of the 57th birthday of Mrs. Miller. The following were present: Lewis Miller, Miss Edna Miller and William Echard, Pennsville; John Miller and son Clyde, Leisenring No. 1; John Thornton, Connellsville; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ettling, Mrs. Katherine Bricker and children, Kenneth, Mildred, Rachel, Harold and Howard, and Charles Watts, Logan's Crossing; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Buttermore and daughter Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Miller and children, Georgia and Ben, Murphy's Siding; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills, Bitner; Robert Gorman, McKeesport; S. J. Buttermore, Connellsville, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Miller.

PRSONALS.

Mrs. Lawrence Winkler and children of Greenwood arrived home yesterday from an extended visit with relatives in Santa Rosa, New Mexico.

Misses Helen and Lulu Carroll are attending the meeting of the National Educational Association being held in Pittsburg this week.

Mrs. Corinne V. Borland of McKeesport returned home this morning after a visit with Mrs. H. P. Snyder.

Mrs. Earl Porter and children of Carneys Point, N. J., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Raudman of Greenwood.

The best place to shop after all. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.

Mrs. A. Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whittaker, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Zurawski, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whittaker, left Saturday evening for New York to visit Corporal J. C. Whittaker, who expects to leave soon for duty overseas.

Miss Sarah Seaton and Miss Louise Painter, a stenographer for the West Penn Railways company, have rented an apartment in the Turner building, West Crawford avenue.

Miss Catherine Hart spent the week-end with Mrs. E. J. Muth of North Side, Pittsburg.

Mrs. G. F. Rogers of Clarksburg, W. Va., has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Evans Estate.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Ellis and son returned to their home in Johnstown last night after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ritchie of Greenwood and other relatives in this section.

P. H. McKevitt and daughter, Miss Mary, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Welmer of Youngwood yesterday. They attended the dedication of Holy Cross Roman Catholic church at Youngwood. Misses Sadie and Katherine McArdle also attended the dedication.

Robert F. Hopwood, Jr., of Uniontown was a Connellsville visitor Sunday evening. Mr. Hopwood is home on a short furlough from Detroit, where he is stationed at the Packard automobile factory in the accounting department of the quartermaster's division of the army.

Elmer Smith of Billings, Mon., is visiting his sisters, the Misses Smith of Dawson, and Mrs. A. A. Wetherell of North Pittsburg street.

Miss Grace Robinson, who is employed by the government in Washington, D. C., is spending a vacation at her home in the West Side.

Mrs. Oscar Johnson of Uniontown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pigman of East Crawford avenue over Sunday.

Miss Iva Waterbury, physical instructor at the high school, and a party of high school girls, returned home Saturday from an outing at Bear Run. Saturday night Miss Waterbury left for the east.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swan and little daughter have returned home from Cadiz, O., where they were called by the death of a friend, Mrs. Doyle Copeland, who died in a Steubenville, O., hospital following an operation. They were accompanied home by Miss Naomi Queen of Cadiz.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wright of Will's road and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Metzler of Uniontown left yesterday by automobile for Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., to visit their son, Lieutenant Dana Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Adrian are visiting relatives in Steubenville, O.

Miss Adelaide Eland, milliner at Kobackers' store, has gone to New York and from there will go to her home in Toronto, Can., to spend her vacation.

Miss Mary Errett, a stenographer for the Yough Trust company, returned to work this morning after a few weeks' vacation.

Miss Emma Ford of Pittsburg was the guest of the Misses Lowney yesterday.

Miss Julia Lowney, a student nurse at the Pittsburg hospital, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Lowney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stickel and family, and Mrs. Catherine Stickel of Mill Run left yesterday for Atlantic City to spend the summer. The trip was made by automobile.

Mrs. Antonio Martucci and Miss Leah Noschese were the guests of friends at Scottdale yesterday afternoon.

Miss Mary Brickman and Mrs. J. B. Ulery, the latter of Greensburg, have gone to Chicago to take a course in the Industrial School of Applied Arts.

Mrs. E. H. Gerhart and son, Merle, have returned home from Kecksburg, where they were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Ira Keck. Clarence Gerhart, remained for a longer visit with his aunt.

Typhoid Epidemic.

Miss Jennie Crossland is very ill of typhoid fever at her home in Brunswick, Mo., according to word received here Saturday by Harry T. Crossland of the West Side, her uncle. There is an epidemic of about 200 cases of fever in Brunswick. Miss Crossland's father, J. I. Crossland, who was one of the victims, died about a week ago. Miss Crossland has a number of relatives and friends here.

First a Daughter.

News was received today of the birth last night at Washington, Pa., of the birth of a daughter, Laura Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCamic. It is the first baby in the family. The mother was formerly Miss Gladys Conway of Connellsville.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICE
BITES—STINGS
Wash the parts with warm, salt water—then apply—
VICKS VAPORUB
25c—50c—$1.00

CHRISTIAN CHURCH HONOR ROLL AND FLAG DEDICATION

Fifty-four Names Appear in the List of Those Who Have Answered Call to the Colors.

The service flag and honor roll of the First Christian church were rededicated last evening following an eloquent patriotic address by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Buckner, and the singing of patriotic numbers by the choir and congregation. The honor roll was unveiled by Miss Louise Soisson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Soisson, who wore a beautiful gown of silk of the national colors, and Harry Restofski, superintendent of the Sunday school. Miss Soisson called the roll while Mr. Restofski made known the unit in which each, so far as was known, is serving, and where. The roll bears 54 names. They are:

Evans Barnhart, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; Leroy Barnhart, telegraphy student, Carnegie Tech, Pittsburg; Hugus Bowman, Quartermaster's Department, Camp Holabird, Md.; James A. Bowman, 20th Engineers, France; Raymond Baisley, naval aerial station, Key West, Fla.; Lieut. Don D. Brooks, base hospital, Fort McPherson, Ga.; Harry Burkey, Camp Lee; James E. Colborn, 334th Infantry, Camp Sherman; Robert P. Colborn, honorably discharged from service; William Cole, in France; George Cooper, in British army; Douglas Corvin, naval radio school, Cambridge, Mass.; James B. Coughenour, 112th Infantry, France; Edward Crossland, 102nd Field Bakery, France; F. W. Crossland, 354th Aero Squadron, Waco, Texas; Clifton Crowley, sanitary detachment, 110th Infantry, France; Fred Daniels, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; David Durnell, Medical Corps, Kelly Field, Tex.; Harry Edmunds, in France; John J. Foley, 301, M. R. S., France; Sergeant Charles Fretts, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; Corporal Eugene Fretts, Company C, 136th Machine Gun Company, France; Bugler William Fretts, Company D, 110th sanitary department, 110th Infantry Infantry, France; Frank Freeman, sanitary detachment, 110th Infantry, France; John Frisbee, Central Officers' Training School, Camp Gordon; Roy Grimm, Camp Lee; Frank Grocott, in British Army; Ewing Harmon, 319th Infantry, France; John W. Kincaid, Kelly Field, Texas; Orland Leighty, Camp Lee; Russell Lenhart, U. S. S. Pres. Grant; Lawrence Lenhart, address unknown; Monroe Marietta, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; Harry P. McCartney, 102nd Field Bakery, France; Joseph McCartney, machine gun service, France; George McCormick, sanitary detachment, 110th Infantry; J. E. Mologne, Fort Henry; Albert J. Munn, 324th Infantry, France; Tweed Otto, 51st Engineers, Camp Belvoir, Va.; George B. Percy, 63rd Engineers, Fort Benjamin Harrison; Byron Porter, at an embarkation camp; Charles F. Ruth, 321st Field Artillery, Camp Gordon; Linford F. Ruth, Jr., 302nd M. R. S., France; Lloyd J. Shaw, sanitary detachment, 110th Infantry, France; Herbert C. Shank, 15th Engineers, France; Frank W. Showman, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; William Stickel, Q. M. C., Columbus, O.; John Emmett Stillwagon, naval hospital, Fort Lyons, Colo.; Sergeant Wilbert M. Stillwagon, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; Ernest Taylor, in the British Army; Andrew C. Trombley, Company D, 110th Infantry, France; Charles Umbel, 20th Engineers, Camp Upton; James J. Ryland, Jacksonville, Fla.; Charles Parker, San Antonio, Texas.

It is the plan of the church, Rev. Buckner announced, to keep in touch with the boys and to send them remembrances on their birthday anniversaries and Christmas.

SHOULD ASK ADVICE

Registrants Filling Out Questionnaires Are Making Mistakes.

Many questionnaires which are being returned to the local draft boards are not being properly signed by registrants and in some places are improperly filled out. Registrants who do not understand fully the requirements set forth in the questionnaire are requested to take the blanks to a member of the legal advisory board for assistance in having them prepared.

All questionnaires must be signed and sworn to and affidavits must be made for dependency and industrial claims. All men who registered under the recent draft have received their questionnaires and rather than later experience difficulty in making claims for exemption or causing some other confusion they are asked to have assistance in answering them.

HULLTOWN FUND $216

Goodly Amount Raised For Red Cross at Festival Saturday Night.

Women of Hulltown, Tower Tyrone township, in a social Saturday night, raised $216 for the Red Cross. The affair was held at the school house. A great crowd attended. The Y. M. C. A. band from Dickerson Run played. The Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad officials sent four oil headlights for illumination of the grounds.

A piano scarf donated by Mrs. William Ansell was auctioned off for $31; a centerpiece given by Mrs. Harrison Cable brought a goodly sum. Fred Walters was auctioneer.

Jacques Bon Bon Party.

Monday night, July 1. Markell hall. Kiferle.—Adv.—28-3t.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

GERMANS OCCUPY TIFLIS

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sunk by a mine off the French coast, has been landed at a French port, the Navy Department today was advised. This is the first news received of the vessel since a dispatch several days ago from Admiral Sims reported she had struck a mine and was sinking.

STATE OF WAR PROCLAIMED IN ARCHANGEL.

MOSCOW, July 1.—A state of war has been proclaimed in the province of Archangel.

SACKING OF TABRIZ LAID BEFORE TURKEY.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The United States government has formally presented to the Turkish government the report that Turkish troops attacked and sacked an American hospital at Tabriz, Persia, and seized the American consulate there, with a request for an explanation.

LAUNCH 14 DESTROYERS ON THE FOURTH.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Fourteen destroyers will be launched from American yards on July 4.

300 HOUSES, 35 SHIPS CONSUMED IN FIRE.

AMSTERDAM, July 1.—In a fire at Karkal in the sea of Marmora near Constantinople on Friday 300 houses and 35 shops were destroyed, the Berlin Vossische Zeitung reports. One church and three schools also were burned.

U. S. TROOPS TO BE IN ROME ON FOURTH.

PARIS, July 1.—The "Stars and Stripes" announces that a detachment of American soldiers will be sent to Rome to take part in the Fourth of July celebration there.

CLOTHING SUPPLIES IN GERMANY CURTAILED.

AMSTERDAM, July 1.—The German imperial clothing department issued an ordinance today under which new clothing can no longer be obtained unless the application is accompanied by a properly certified statement giving in detail a list of the clothes already in the applicant's possession.

CRITICIZES ITALIANS

John Maddin Lands in Hospital for Making Slurring Remark.

John Maddin, 34 years old, was "knocked out" in a Water street restaurant about 12.30 o'clock Sunday morning when hit by a dish thrown by an Italian after Maddin was alleged to have said the Italians were no d——d good. The war question, according to the police, was being discussed, and when Maddin made his alleged remark an Italian hit him with a dish, causing a wound to the head.

Michael Haiduck, a friend of Maddin's, took up the fight, but the Italian escaped. Haiduck, charged with disorderly conduct and interfering with a doctor, was arrested by Lieutenant McDonald and Patrolman Turner. He was released when he left a $12 gold watch as a forfeit.

Maddin was taken to the Cottage State hospital, where he is resting easily.

AZENSKY ARRESTED

Former Queen Street Resident Haled Before Alderman Howard.

Charged with making and maintaining a nuisance, Isadore Azensky of Leisenring No. 3 was taken before Alderman S. H. Howard this morning and paid the costs of the case. He was arrested on information of Health Officer George Hetzel, who claimed that Azensky, after being warned four different times to clean up the premises about his house in Queen street, moved away without doing so.

The man promised he would have the place cleaned by Wednesday night. He was given to understand that if he did not take immediate action he would again be arrested.

First Ripe Tomatoes.

Emmett Hicks, Sr., a well known colored man living in Isabella road claims to have the first ripe tomatoes home grown. He picked several out of his garden last Friday. Attorney S. R. Goldsmith found a ripe one in his garden Saturday.

Daughter Born.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Crawford are the proud parents of a daughter, Eloise Crawford, born Friday, June 21, at the Crawford home at Republic. The family is now composed of a daughter and son.

Infant Dies.

An infant daughter of Norman and Florence Bryner Porterfield, died yesterday at the family residence at Reidmore. Interment was made today in Hill Grove cemetery.

Buys Hood Property.

Charles Stickel has purchased the residence of S. F. Hood in Angle street and will take possession as soon as Mr. Hood and family leave for Philadelphia to reside.

Service at Hospital.

Young people from the Methodist Protestant church conducted a song service yesterday afternoon at the Cottage State hospital and donated $3.75 to the patients' fund.

May Raise Honor Flag.

Mayor John Duggan this morning suggested that the Fourth of July would be an appropriate day to raise the honor flag won in the Third Liberty Loan on the city flag pole.

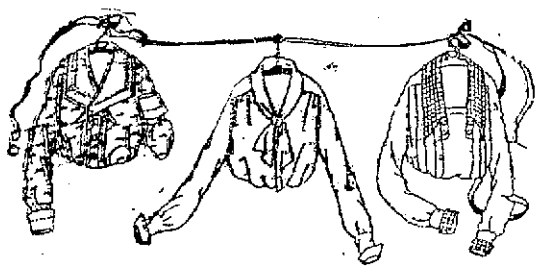
Stork Leaves Girl.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones of Scottdale are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter Friday. Mrs. Jones was formerly Miss Esther Irene Whittaker of Connellsville.

Hunting Bargains?

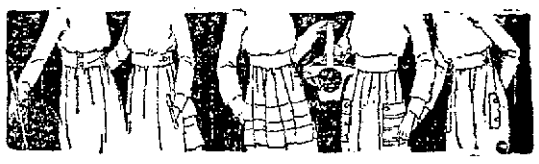
You will find them in our ad. columns.

Our Three Day Special for the Fourth of July



Waists
Silk
One lot of Tub Silk Waists, all sizes, values to $3.00, special $1.95.
Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine
One lot of Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine Waists, all sizes, values to $4.50, special $2.95.

Wash Skirts
One lot of slightly soiled Wash Skirts, values to $1.50, special 79c.
These are wonderful values.



Suits
1 rack suits, values to $27.50 special $14.95
1 rack suits, values to $40.00 special $22.95
1 rack suits, values to $60.00 secial $31.95

Dresses
One rack of Dresses, values to $25.00, special $12.95.
Silk Dress Skirts from $5.00 to $19.75 values, One-Third Off.

All Our Sleeveless Jackets Values to $22.50 1/3 OFF

Sleeveless Sweaters
One lot of sleeveless Sweaters, values to $4.50, all sizes and colors, special
$2.95
Silk Sweaters
One lot of Fibre Silk Sweaters, sleeveless, values to $7.50, all sizes and colors, special
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MANY VOLUNTEER

To Serve as Election Commissioners in Soldiers Next November.

The possibility of the soldiers in the field being allowed to vote at the coming election has caused Governor Brumbaugh to be bombarded with requests from all sections of the state for appointments as election commissioners.

The letters call the governor's attention to the fact that the writers would not object to being sent overseas for service. This may or may not be because at 10 cents a mile going and coming the commissioners to France would collect in the neighborhood of $890.

It is estimated that Pennsylvania will have at least 200,000 men in the service by November, the great majority of whom are voters. Last year several dozen Pennsylvanians were sent to the various training camps throughout the United States; and one commissioner was started to France to take the votes of men in the Rainbow Division, but he got out a few hundred miles on the ocean and was returned for some reason.

It may require 150 commissioners in November, if all units are to be canvassed wherein there are Pennsylvanians.

Negro Steals Weiners.

Charged with stealing weiners from Gus Mela, who runs the Yough House weiner stand Frank Randolph, a negro was arrested this morning by Patrolman Rulli. Mela had been missing his weiners for several days but could never catch the thief. This morning he saw Randolph take the meat, and with Patrolman Rulli caught the negro hiding in a stable in Church place. He was placed in the lockup.

Returns to Work.

Miss Margaret Tipping of the West Side has returned to work with the American Manganese company at Dunbar after recovering from injuries received last Monday when a horse she was driving became frightened and ran off. Miss Tipping was severely bruised and scratched by being dragged for some distance.

Undergo Throat Operations.

Mrs. Jessie Smith of South street, and Eugene Hasson, three years old, of Crawford avenue, West Side, underwent throat operations at the Cottage State hospital this morning.

If You Want Something

Advertise for it in our classified column. One cent a word.

The Grim Reaper

MRS. JOHN HOWARD.

Mrs. John Howard, 41 years old, a resident of Ligonier, died while on a visit to relatives near Champion. The immediate cause of her death was heart failure. She has been an invalid for more than a year from a complication of diseases. For many years she has been an ardent worker in church and Sunday school work of the Methodist Episcopal church of her home town. She leaves a husband, a mother, a daughter and one granddaughter and a host of sorrowing friends. Mr. Howard, her husband, is a nephew of S. H. Howard of Connellsville. Undertaker C. B. Brooks removed the remains to her daughter's home in Ligonier, where the funeral took place Sunday afternoon, June 30.

ELIZABETH SPESAK.

Elizabeth Spesak, seven months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Spesak of Crawford avenue, West Side, died Saturday. Funeral services were held this morning from St. John's Slavish church in the West Side, with interment in St. John's cemetery.

CATHERINE MORRIS.

Catherine Morris, one year old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris of Lower Tyrone township, died last night at 10.30 o'clock. Funeral from the house tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock with interment in Cochran cemetery.

MRS. BESSIE MYERS.

Mrs. Bessie Myers, 28 years old, died yesterday at her home in York avenue. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, with interment in Hill Grove cemetery. Deceased was born September 3, 1889, a daughter of William and Almeda Hostetler Randall. She was a sister of C. E. Randall.

More Realty Sales.

The real estate firm of A. E. Wagoner & Company has sold the A. C. Carson lot in West Crawford avenue to Edward Washington. The same firm has sold the I. C. Smuts property in North Eighth street to Miss Jessie Shrum of Indianapolis, Ind.

$170,038,394 in Red Cross Drive.

Red Cross subscriptions in the second war fund drive amount now to $170,038,394, with returns still coming in, national headquarters has announced. The first fund amounted to $110,475,125.

DOCTORS FAILED TO HELP

But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Removed the Cause of this Woman's Illness.

Worcester, Mass.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for weakness and pa which used to ke me in bed for tw days each month. tried many docto without benefit unt I was really discou aged. My mothe urged me to tak Lydia E. Pinkham Vegetable Co pound as it h helped her so much. did so and soon sa a change for th better. I kept taking it and am no so well and stro that I can do all housework, even my washing and I hav a little baby who is as healthy as could ask—thanks to your Vegeta Compound."—Mrs. F. H. STONE, Bowdoin St., Worcester, Mass.

Women who suffer from displacements, irregularities, inflammation ulceration, backache, headaches a nervousness should lose no time in givin this famous root and herb remedy Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Co pound, a trial.

Your Child's Skin will be free from chafing, scalding eruptions and all soreness if you use Sykes Comfort Powder. For more than 25 years it has been healing and preventing skin soreness. 25c at the Vinol and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

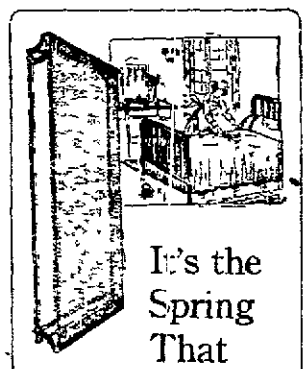
Just Over the Bridge
Connellsville (West Side)
Willard STORAGE BATTERY SERVICE STATION
Carroll Battery Co.
A Factory Trained Battery Man

READ THE COURIER

Conservation Days — For Home Makers — at AARON'S

SUCH a change one year has wrought in the Nation that held the name of the "most extravagant on earth. Conservation—our patriotic watchword—has become fashionable among the proudest families It's no longer "the thing" to try to outshine one's neighbors.

Business men who can offer sterling opportunities to economize now are doing a worthy service to their country. We are doing our bit. These hot midsummer days are the best of Conservation days in our store.



It's the Spring That Makes the Bed

If you must economize on a bed outfit, don't let it be on the *spring* for upon its strength, resiliency and durability depends sound, refreshing sleep Better a less expensive bed than a cheap spring or mattress

We carry only standard springs—the best makes upon the market—and guarantee them to be satisfactory in every respect

INDESTRUCTIBLE COIL SPRINGS, made of carefully tempered wire coils securely fastened and japanned

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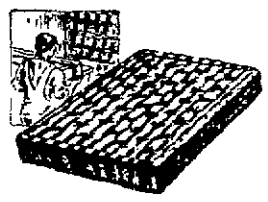

Four hours of sound sleep are worth eight of tossing and tossing on a hard bed If you would get the most out of yourself—mentally and physically—don't start on the mattress you sleep on

Our special cotton felt mattresses are made of brand new cotton in a sanitary factory They are resilient and luxuriously comfortable Single, double and crib sizes.

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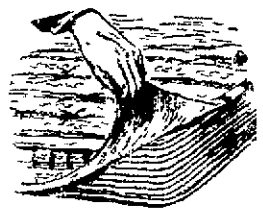

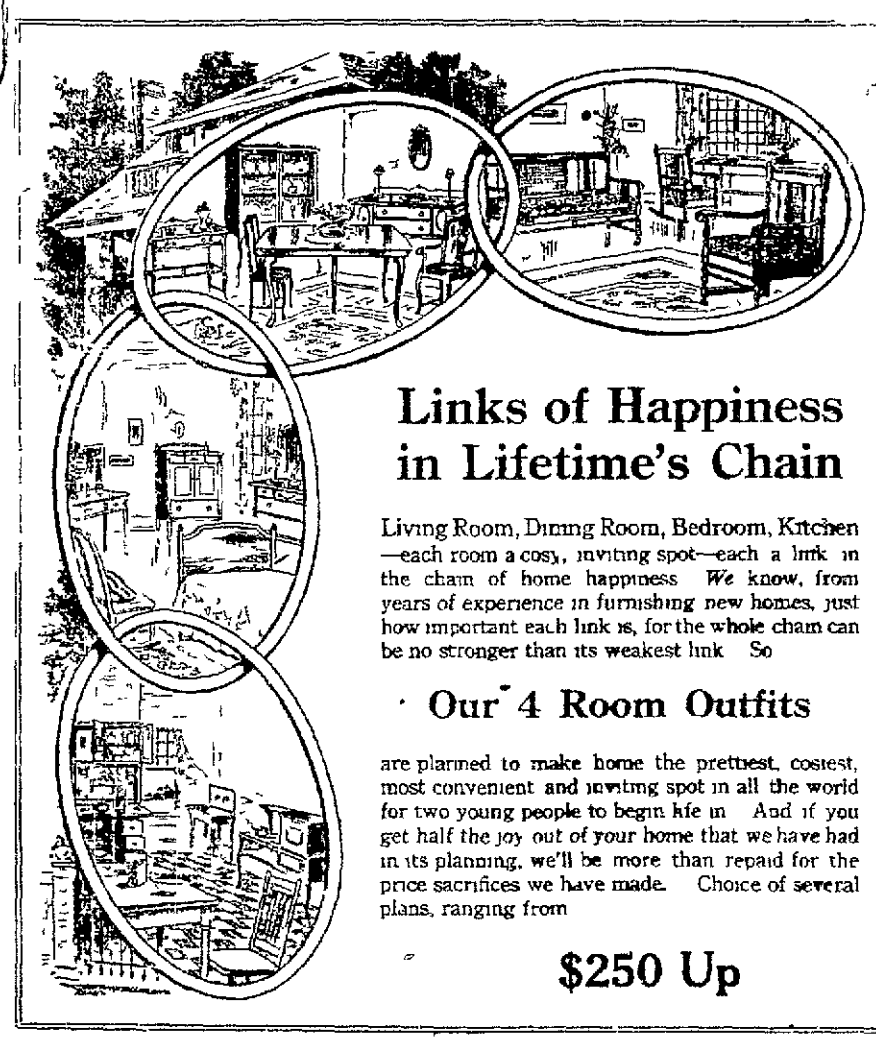

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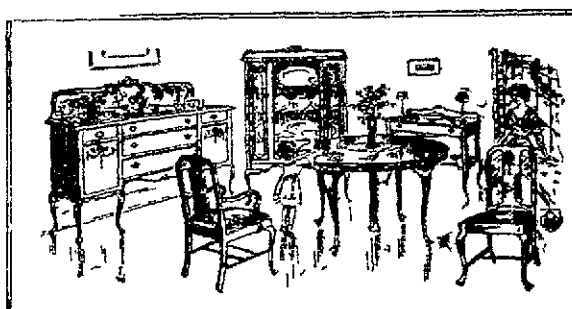

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need not be tempered by dissatisfaction if you choose your furnishings from the generous display of better furniture you will always find here. Our interest in our customers never stops short with the purchase We want you to be satisfied and to *tell us* if you are not.

This Queen Anne Suite for the Dining Room is a good example of the excellent values you will find on our floors in moderate priced furniture during this month

In spite of the scarcity of Walnut we have some beautiful suites in that much-desired wood at surprisingly modest prices. Mahogany and Oak also in scores of handsome effects.

Dining Room Suites **$180.00** *and Upwards*

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Miles and Miles of Them

have gone from here to carry cool delight into hundreds of homes. But these modern refrigerators with their good cabinet work snowy porcelain linings and perfect insulation are a far cry from the old time ice box.

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Just the carriages for little tots who can "sit up and take notice" The children can wheel them easily Priced from

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Porch Swings

Strong comfortable roomy swings of solid oak, hung by galvanized chains. The indestructable kind that will give years of good service. Several sizes, priced from

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Better Baby Cribs

Sensible, sanitary safe cribs of spotless enamel or sunny brass with drop sides that defy inquisitive baby fingers. Priced at

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SCOTTDALE STREET 200 YARDS LONG HAS 24 MEN IN SERVICE

Browntown Has Had Honor of Sending Total of 64.

SERVICE FLAG IS DEDICATED

James Keegan, Father W. A. Lambing and Rev. I. E. Runk Make Eloquent Addresses and Young Women Sing Patriotic Songs; Other News.

Special to The Courier

SCOTTDALE July 1 —A committee composed of Mrs John Baker, Mrs Frank Bates Mrs John Rutherford, Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Mrs Mary Berry Mrs Mary Campbell Mrs Charles Shaner and Mrs Leslie Stoner arranged a service flag celebration for Browntown yesterday afternoon that was quite a success This little part of Scottdale known as Browntown has 64 boys in the service and had 64 stars on its flag Fourth avenue a street 200 yards long has 24 boys in the service The affair was held in the open at the corner of Broadway and Fourth avenue Robert Percy presided Prayer was offered by Rev I E Runk Mrs Frank Bates sang 'Liberty Bell and The Long Trail' James Keegan gave an address on the flag, showing that the boys of '61 and the boys of '17 and '18 were fighting for the same principles He used Comrade J E Sterrett of Colonel Ellsworth Post G A R., and Joe Cafferty and Felix McGivern of the United States Navy home on furloughs to demonstrate this fact This brought round after round of applause from the audience The service flag was unfurled by Ethel Anderson Rose Campbell Marie Bates and Margaret Berry "The Service Flag" was recited by Miss Gwendolin Rossinson Miss Lorna Attwood sang a solo Father W. A. Lambing, pastor of St John's church, spoke laying before the people their duty to the boys Miss Attwood then sang "Joan of Arc" and the audience joined in the chorus Rev I E Runk was the last speaker The services closed by the singing of The Star Spangled Banner The G A R band furnished music during the afternoon

Miss Shupe Hostess.

Miss Anna Kate Shupe entertained at dinner at her home on Friday evening for Miss Marion Bambrick and her house guests Miss Catherine Froelich of Punxsutawney and Miss Edith Campbell of West Newton The other guests were Miss Olive Bloom and Miss Ruth Mumaw

Makes High Average.

Mr and Mrs M J Kennedy have received word from their son Lieutenant Jack Kennedy one of the 30 sent to the advanced school detachment in France that he had completed his course and had the highest average of any of the 30 it being 99 1-3

To Elks Convention

The Scottdale B P O E is making preparations to send a delegation of men from the local lodge to the convention to be held at Atlantic City from July 8 to 12 One of the largest patriotic parades ever held is scheduled It will be reviewed by President Wilson Every lodge represented will have its service flags in line Scottdale's flag will have 16 stars This service flag was presented to them by Unit No 1 of the Scottdale auxiliary of the Red Cross and will be properly inscribed in the parade so that this can be seen

Birthday Observed

Miss Edith Evans was given a surprise party at her home on Saturday afternoon in honor of her birthday Many nice presents were received by her and a very pleasant afternoon was spent

Mrs. Albert Shirer.

Mrs. Albert Shirer 26 years old died after a prolonged illness Saturday at 2 30 P M at her home at Alverton She leaves her husband and a baby five months old The funeral service will be Tuesday at 1 o clock at the home Interment will be at 3 o'clock in the Middletown cemetery

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Off to See Son

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Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE June 30—Mrs August Lenz and daughter Miss Gertrude have returned from a brief visit in Cumberland

Mr and Mrs DeForest Ludwig of Pittsburg are visiting at the home of the latter's parents Mr and Mrs G W Collins

Blaine Sellers of Lewistown is here for a week's visit with relatives and friends

Mrs Anna Fike of Johnstown is visiting relatives and friends here for a few weeks

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Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT July —Ernest McCallister who has been at Cresson sanitarium for the past several months arrived home Sunday evening to visit with his mother Mrs D W Mosser

C J Love Mr and Mrs Harry Lane and Miss Elburn Reed motored to Pittsburg yesterday and visited Mrs Love who is a patient at the Mercy hospital

A A Freed and son Christian Miss Mary Freed and William Oswald the latter of Connellsville were guests at a 6 o clock dinner at the Isaac Colbert home at East Liberty yesterday

Joseph Harshman of Juniata visited with his parents, Mr and Mrs Jacob Harshman Sunday

Mr and Mrs R L Stone and daughter Katherine of Scottdale were Sunday callers with Mrs Stoner's parents Mr and Mrs William Bailey and family

Mrs William Long and children of Connellsville are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs Long's father Robert McBurney of Franklin township

Miss Lucy Lochran who has been seriously ill for the past few months was able to attend church yesterday

Mrs Harry B Reed and Mrs James Beatty were recent Connellsville shoppers

Mrs Frank Newell and mother Mrs Sechrist visited with friends in Connellsville Sunday

Mr and Mrs J P Buse of Connellsville, visited with Mrs Buse's mother and sister Mrs Samuel Strickler and Mrs Bell McClain

Mrs Ben Brown of Dunbar township, was a recent Connellsville shopper

VANDERBILT June 28—Little Miss Lilladore Bane daughter of Mr and Mrs C O Bane is visiting with her grandparents Mr and Mrs William Bailey

Mrs Leona Coughenour visited with friends in Salisburg recently

Miss Elizabeth Levis is on the sick list

Allan Downs of East Liberty T Scott Dunn J C Downs of Connellsville and J S Rittenhouse of near Smock were attending a meeting of the Franklin Coke company Friday

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Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE June 29—Miss Helen Robinson of Uniontown is spending a few days here with relatives

Mrs George Hershberger has returned to her home here after several days visit with relatives at Mount Braddock

Mrs D M Woodmancy of Bear Run spent Friday shopping in town

C F Hamilton and son Wilbur have returned from a week's visit spent in Pittsburg

OHIOPYLE July 1—Mrs William Mason has received word from her two sons stating they have arrived safely in France Frederick C Mason is with Company I 111th United States Infantry and Louis C Mason with Company B, 330th Infantry

Mrs Lydia Collins left Saturday to visit relatives at Pitcairn

Mr Baggs of Pittsburg spent Saturday and Sunday with his family at Belle Grove

Mrs Donnelly of Connellsville spent Saturday calling on friends here

Vincent Morrison was a caller in Connellsville Saturday

Mrs Edward Jeffries of Confluence was visiting relatives here recently

Henry Boothe of Pittsburg spent Saturday and Sunday in this vicinity

Brown Hall of Donora spent Saturday calling on Ohiopyle friends

James Rush who has been at Atlantic City spent a short visit in town last week on his way home in Connellsville

Mrs Lucy Welsh spent Saturday evening and Sunday calling on Bidwell friends

Miss Mae Rowan left Saturday for Connellsville

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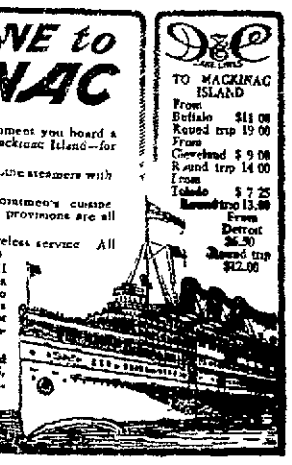

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PROUD TO HELP ITALY.

The decision to send American troops to Italy will be received with as much satisfaction among Americans as it is hailed with joy in Italy. The magnificent manner in which the Italians have stemmed the tide of the on-rushing Austrians and sent them in disorderly rout back across the Piave, has been such a significant achievement of the war that the victors are entitled to recognition of the most substantial kind on part of the Allies.

At the moment that recognition can be no better nor more fittingly expressed than by placing American soldiers shoulder to shoulder with the Italians in order to drive the Austrian allies of the Kaiser out of northern Italy. The advance detachments of the American troops are already on their way, to be followed by larger contingents later. American aviators contributed no little part to the success in dealing a staggering blow to the Austrians, their intrepidity, dash and daring exciting unbounded admiration of the Italians. The knowledge that American soldiers are coming will serve to strengthen the determination of the Italians to follow up their defeat of the Austrians with still more vigor and effectiveness. It shows to the Italians that the spirit of coöperation animates all the Allies and serves notice upon Germany and her allies that they cannot hope to disintegrate the forces opposed to them. Austria will know that the gain made against them is not only to be held but the advantages accruing from it are to be pressed to the utmost.

As France was stimulated to new endeavors, and the Germans forced to halt, by the presence of Americans on the western front, in like manner will the Italians take new inspiration, and the Austrians experience fear and dread, from the sight of the Stars and Stripes on the battle lines beyond the Venitian plains. The Italians have proven themselves to be such brilliant fighters the Americans will feel just as proud to join with them as they have been glad to serve with equally valiant foemen of the Hun in France and Flanders.

MAKING THRIFT A NATIONAL HABIT.

Of course the primary factor in deciding this war is and will be the Army. But there can be no great army in war today unless a great nation stands back of it. The most important of all our needs is immensely to strengthen the fighting line at the front, says Theodore Roosevelt in the Kansas City Star. But it can not be permanently strengthened unless the whole nation is organized back of the front. We need increased production by all. We need thrift and the avoidance of extravagance and of waste of money upon nonessentials by all. We need the investment of our money in government securities by all of us.

The government, through the War Savings campaign, offers the opportunity to every individual in the nation to join in a great national movement to secure these ends. The Treasury Department proposes as a means to achieve these ends that all our people form themselves into thrift clubs or War Savings societies. This is the people's war. The responsibility for the government rests on the people as a whole. The Army is the people's Army. It can be supported only if the people invest in the securities of the government; and this investment by the people should be as nearly universal as possible. All the men, all the women, and all the children of the land should be active members of Uncle Sam's team. The War Savings campaign offers them the chance to be active members. This campaign means the encouragement of thrift and production. But it means much more than this. It also means to make our people realize their solidarity and mutual interdependence and to make them understand that the government is really theirs. Therefore, it is a movement to fuse all our different race stocks into one great united nationality. It is emphatically a movement for nationalism and patriotism.

Between thirty and forty millions of our people today own Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps. All of us who come in this class have an increased sense of loyalty and responsibility to the government. The Treasury Department has offered through the War Savings plan a great opportunity for the entire nation to group itself into War Savings societies or thrift clubs and thus be of immediate and direct service to the government.

Neither through government program and traditions nor through the habits of the people were we in any way prepared for this struggle. We were a spendthrift nation. One of the roads to national unity and national force in this war is through thrift—using the word to include both increased production in every field, and also the conservation of those things which are so desperately needed for the winning of the war. The conscientious thrifty man today will conserve food as requested by the Food Administration; he will conserve fuel as requested by the Fuel Administration; and he will conserve to the best of his ability the labor and materials which the government needs by not using his money for purchasing any of the non-essentials and thereby using up materials and labor needed by the government. He will, by purchasing government securities, entrust the spending of his money to the government in order to speed up the war and to secure the peace of overwhelming victory.

Let all of us join in this movement. The success of the War Savings campaign means an immense addition to our war strength. It also means the first step in economic preparedness for what is to come after the war. We must never return to our haphazard spendthrift ways. Thrift should be made a national habit as part of our social and industrial readjustment.

General Bernhardi, famous apostle of war, had an effective illustration of some of his doctrine the other day when the British licked the tar out of his army in the battle of the Niepes forest. Just a case of the British sword being stronger than both the pen and the sword of the Hun.

The weatherman has relented again.

The stronger the "win the war" spirit becomes in America the more certainly will Berlin, including even Kaiser Bill, be forced to admit that Foreign Minister von Kuehlman knew what he was talking about when he delivered his "we-cannot-win-by-arms" speech.

The German mark, like German honor, German morale and German hopes, is at a lower mark than ever before.

The more intently you followed yesterday's sermons the more clearly will you understand that this year's Fourth of July should be a day of consecration, not distraction for either yourself or your neighbors.

That Paris dinner of Hindenburg is three months late. It promises to be still further delayed now that 2,000,000 American soldiers in France have taken over the job of cooking "Hindy's" goose.

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

IN THE FIELD.

While others bear the sword and shield, where mighty armies meet, I'm busy in the harvest field, and shocking sheaves of wheat. I'm shedding sweat instead of blood, it flows in endless tide, and as I wipe away the flood, my bosom swells with pride. I know I have not lived in vain, whatever you may say, since I can help to save the grain, and earn three bones a day. The sun beats down upon my back, it's hot and hotter yet, and all along my labored track, the ground is damp with sweat. The work is hard, I must admit, these burning days of June, and now and then I have a fit and now and then I swoon. But when this weary war is done, and you size up the gents who did their best to make the Hun look much like fifteen cents, a man like me you'll gladly meet, although I've splashed no gore; I shocked ten million sheaves of wheat, and then ten millions more. He also serves, you doubtless know, who does the work at hand; who, barred from shooting up the foe, goes forth to till the land. I feel I am the one best bet, the guy that's safe and sane; the ground behind is moist with sweat, as though there'd been a rain.

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

LIFE.

Wonder why we come to earth,
Why the mystery of birth,
Why the days of living breath
And the majesty of death?
It is not for gold or fame,
Not alone for toil or game.
And sometimes it seems to me
That this trip through life must be
Ordered so that we may know
One another here below.

Life's a get-acquainted spell;
A chance to know your brothers well.
It's a round of days and years
Filled with laughter gay and tears
And of struggling towards a goal,
As a trial for the soul.
Here we come to learn of men;
Here we come to see them when
They are at their best and worst,
Angels must be humans first.

Life's a get-acquainted trip
And the world a mighty ship
Plunging on through storm and shine
To some destination fine.
Here we live and strive and grow
So that we may come to know
One another and be friends,
And at last when living ends,
He has noblest served God's plan,
Who has served his fellow man.

Get acquainted with your kind!
Open both your heart and mind.
Stretch to them a helpful hand,
Know them well and understand
What it is they seek afar
And you'll find how fine they are.
Do not live your life alone.
Know your neighbor and be known,
And remember, night and day
Angels grow in mortal clay.

Looking Backward

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1888.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending July 7 shows a total of 13,061 ovens in the region of which 8,749 are in blast and 4,312 are idle with a total estimated production of 59,463 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 4,500 cars distributed as follows: To Pittsburg, 1,200; to points west, 2,100; to points east, 1,200, a decrease of 60 cars as compared with the previous week.

Thomas Elbert, Will Pritchard and Arnold Coolman have a narrow escape from drowning when their skiff capsized when they attempt to land a raft of logs at Kell Long's mill. They reached shore by means of a cable attached to a raft.

Harry, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warner, drowns in the race of Calhoun & Company's mill.

Mrs. John Maguire dies of burns received when an oil can explodes while she is pouring kerosene on half dead coals in the stove at her home in Highland avenue.

The following officers of Coke Center castle, No. 91, Knights of the Golden Eagle, are elected for a six months' term: Past chief, F. P. Kubler; noble chief, Michael Darr; vice-chief, Irvin Hays; high priest, Levi Hoover; venerable hermit, George Lewellen; master of records, S. H. Howard; clerk of exchequer, A. J. Brown; keeper of exchequer, J. A. Zimmerman; sir herald, W. P. Clark; worthy bard, Reuben Miller; worthy chamberlain, L. Fitzmier; ensign, William Buttermore; esquire, John Buttermore; first guardsman, E. N. Craig; second guardsman, John Neeb; trustees, W. P. Clark and John Neeb.

Dr. J. C. McClenathan of this place, reads a paper on "Bacteriology," before the quarterly meeting of the Fayette County Medical society in Uniontown.

Work on the foundation for Seilson's new business room on Main street is begun.

Fred C. Neilson, chief painter on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, is struck by a local freight at Buena Vista. His arm is so badly wounded that amputation is necessary.

The cornerstone of the Mount Zion Baptist church in New Haven is laid. A special train is run from Mount Pleasant. Persons from all over the county attend.

FRIDAY, JULY 1, 1898.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending June 25 shows a total of 13,603 ovens in the region of which 13,513 are in blast and 5,095 idle, with a total estimated production of 143,644 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 7,520 cars distributed as follows: To Pittsburg, 2,759 cars; to points west, 3,620 cars; to points east, 1,141 cars, a decrease of 476 cars as compared with the previous week.

Recruits for Company D are camping on the Washington fair grounds awaiting orders to move to San Francisco from which place they will sail for Manila to join the Tenth Regiment.

Teachers are elected at a special meeting of the New Haven school board as follows: Room No. 1, Miss Etta Berger; room 2, Miss Anna Mc Diffett; room 3, Miss Anne Johnston; room 4, Miss Ethel Johnston; room 5, Miss Ella Hyatt; room 6, Miss Edna Johnston; room 7, Miss Anna Egan; room 8, Joseph E. Newcomer. W. D. McGinnis was not an applicant for reelection as principal, nor did W. H. Brown, vice principal, apply. Lee Brownfield was elected principal and Miss Jenne Penn as assistant.

Marriage licenses are granted in Uniontown as follows: John Speers and Ella Dooms, of Connellsville; Charles L. Hatfield of Connellsville and Lou Brooks of Normalville; William Jackson of Mount Braddock and Belle Lewis of Connellsville; J. H. McCoy and Alice C. Hutchison, both of Springfield township; John W. Showman and Alene Kern, both of Springfield township; Albert S. Jones and Cora B. Beals, both of Broad Ford; Warren W. Miner and Mary M. Dannecker, both of Everson.

A delightful lawn fete is held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lot Rush at the corner of Aetna street and Patterson avenue.

Charles T. Hetzel sells his meat market on Pittsburg street to C. W. Stoutfer of Scottdale.

Kell Long and Frank Coughenour each returned home with a string of about 50 bass after spending the day at Somerfield.

The Connellsville Military Band holds its third annual excursion to Ashtabula. The band was accompanied by about 200 persons.

The volunteer company recruited by Joseph W. Hough meets at the armory to organize.

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1908.

Detailed report of the Connellsville coke trade for the week ending June 27 shows a total of 27,375 ovens in the region of which 15,362 are in blast and 22,013 idle, with a total production of 164,853 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 6,469 cars distributed as follows: To Pittsburg, 2,649; to points west, 3,450; to points east, 470, an increase of 117 cars as compared with the previous week.

Additions to the high school building at Leisenring No. 1 will be made during the summer to the extent of $10,000.

The West Penn inaugurates the new trolley system into Brownsville. Cars are met at the edge of town with a brass band and escorted by cheering crowd to the West Penn station.

S. P. Ashe, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A., resigns to take a position as a teacher in the Pittsburg Public Playgrounds. He will remain in the fall as a teacher of mathematics in the high school.

Notice is received at the postoffice of increases in the salaries of the postal clerks here effective July 1.

The Fayette county lawyers hold their annual picnic at Washington's Springs, along the National Pike. A delegation of Connellsville attorneys attends the picnic.

Five men are injured at the Dunbar Furnace as the result of a slip. They are James Gray, William Ryan, James McVey, Frank Ryan and Antonia Garros.

Miss Lena Hetzel is confined to her West Apple street home with a sprained ankle, suffered while stepping of a ferris wheel at the New Haven carnival.

As the result of an accident with which he met last May Philo Norton, 35 years old, dies. He was the father of E. T. Norton.

School board again adjourns in a deadlock. After 10 ballots are taken a principal for the Second ward school could not be decided on.

Invitations are sent out for the Frick Veterans' Association basket picnic to be held at Ohiopyle July 23.

F. R. Yoder, last year principal of the Vanderbilt schools, and clerk in the New Haven town council, is elected vice principal of the New Haven schools by that school board.

Washington Herd, congressional candidate on the Socialist ticket, issues a challenge to all parties to debate public questions of importance at Shady Grove Park on July 10, when the Socialist clans will gather there.

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good kind done here.

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LOST—LADIES' OPEN FACE SILver watch. Reward if returned to Courier office. 1july2t

LOST—FRATERNITY PIN WITH name Don L. Boyd, date February 23, 1918, engraved on reverse side; not pawnable. Return to Courier office and receive reward. 1july2t*

LOST — BETWEEN CONNELLSville and Pittsburg two 32x4 auto tires and rims complete. Reward of $25 for return. W. E. RICE, Connellsville, Pa. 28june3t

LOST—POCKETBOOK CONTAINING sum of money and gold watch, either on Western Maryland train from Pittsburg or between W. M. depot and Third street. Reward if returned to Courier office. 1july2t

Found.

FOUND—UMBRELLA, OWNER MAY recover same by calling at 217 West Cedar avenue, identifying and paying for this ad. W. C. WEISGERBER. 1july1t*

FOUND—RED HEIFER, ABOUT 1 year old, at John Bitner farm, below Greek church, Leisenring No. 1. Owner can have same by calling and paying for damages done. 1july3t*

Notice.

C. N. FULLER, MANUFACTURER of Rubber Stamps, 300 West Crawford avenue. Complete line of stamp supplies. 28june6t

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership lately subsisting between Alec Chinn and J. Gardner of the city of Connellsville, County of Fayette, and State of Pennsylvania, under the firm name of Chinn & Gardner, was dissolved on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1918, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said Alec Chinn, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. ALEC CHINN, J. GARDNER. 27june6t

Notice to Contractors.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE St. John Roman Catholic congregation of Connellsville, Pa., for the proper erection and completion of a school building, a parish house and a Sisters' home, as per plans and specifications prepared by John H. Harman, Architect, 632 First National Bank building, Uniontown, Pa.

Two proposals will be required as follows: First, a proposal for the full erection and completion of the three buildings as per plans furnished as a whole, the second proposal for the erection and completion of the parish house and a Sisters' home under one proposition and the school separated and mentioned and both enclosed and sealed together.

Bids for the above work will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of July 13, 1918. Plans and specifications can be had at the office of the architect, or at the residence of the Rev. Father Tusek, Connellsville, Pa. St. John Roman Catholic Congregation, by REV. FATHER TUSEK, Connellsville, Pa. JOHN H. HARMAN, Architect, Uniontown, Pa. july-1-3-6

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECeived by the County Controller of Fayette county, Pennsylvania, at his office in the Court House, Uniontown, Pennsylvania, and by the County Controller of Washington county, Pennsylvania, at his office in the Court House, Washington, Pennsylvania, until 2 o'clock P. M., Monday, July 15th, 1918, and to be opened at 2 o'clock P. M., Uniontown, Pa., July 16th, 1918, for the jacking and relocating of the span of the steel superstructure on new roller nests and shoes and the repairing of one river pier and encasing the same in concrete of the Monongahela River Bridge at Bellevernon, Pennsylvania, between Fayette and Washington counties.

Plans, proposals and specifications for the above bridge can be secured at the office of the County Road and Bridge Engineer, Court House, Uniontown, Pennsylvania, and at the office of the County Road Engineer, Court House, Washington, Pennsylvania, for the sum of five dollars ($5.00) per set.

The proposals to be submitted in duplicate (one copy to each office) with a certified check drawn on a National Bank or Trust Company in good credit in Pennsylvania equal to ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the proposal, to be deposited with either of the proposals, the same made payable to the Treasurer of the county.

The right to reject any and all proposals is expressly reserved. HARRY KISINGER, THOS. J. UNDERWOOD, County Controllers. July-1-6-13

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss.

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared J. Wylie Driscoll, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is Assistant Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, June 29, 1918, was as follows:

June 24	6,850	June 27	6,786
June 25	6,830	June 28	6,831
June 26	6,828	June 29	6,789

Total 40,992
Daily average 6,832

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1918 to date was as follows:

1918	Month.	Daily Av.
January	175,963	6,520
February	156,135	6,507
March	170,732	6,567
April	173,823	6,685
May	181,259	6,713

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1917 to date was as follows:

1917	Month.	Daily Av.
January	157,261	5,824
February	130,852	5,452
March	149,431	5,634
April	139,180	5,567
May	143,162	5,524
June	141,596	5,446
July	153,575	5,143
August	165,596	5,133
September	164,193	5,167
October	166,233	5,136
November	153,132	5,127
December	155,848	5,234

Total 181,343 5,859
And further sayeth not.
J. WYLIE DRISCOLL.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of June, 1918.
J. B. KURTZ, N. P.

Want Ads—1 Cent a Word.

FOR SALE
Baby Chicks

By Parcel Post to your door. Send your money now. We will ship at once. Parcel Post charges paid. Barred Plymouth Rocks and Rhode Island Reds at
25 for.....$ 4.50
50 for.....$ 9.00
100 for.....$17.50
Also White and Brown Leghorns at
25 for.....$ 4.00
50 for.....$ 8.00
100 for.....$15.50
BLUE RIDGE POULTRY FARM
Bell Phone 1779, Uniontown, Pa.

JULY SPECIALS

There is a lot of special hot weather raiment in our stores for the July demand. Don't wait until the last day, buy now what you need and benefit by the savings offered. The prices may not be possible again for a long time. Men's clothing, boys' clothing, women's, misses', and children's clothing, of every description; cool, hot weather, July specials. Many of them are a class of goods that we will not be able to duplicate on, perhaps we will not be able to get them again for years. Mills that manufactured these goods are out of business—the Government is using them for making clothing, blankets, underwear, etc., for the soldiers; prices are advancing. Many of these lines today would cost more wholesale than our retail prices; therefore, if you are in need of anything in the way of raiment for men and boys, if you are in need of any summer dresses for women, misses, and children, or goods to make summer dresses, skirts, or shirt waists, buy now, buy while you can get the goods. You can get ractically what you want now; later you will be obliged to take what you can get.

Union Supply Co.

63 Large Department Stores,

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

Smart Footwear
Reasonably Priced

Oxfords, Pumps, Shoes—all the shades and colors that are good.

All the newest and best styles are here.

WE FIT

Men, women and children with real Shoes.

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LOT VALUES

That Cannot Be Duplicated Anywhere—That

S-M-A-S-H

All Precedents in Value-giving!

LOTS as low as $80

On Your Own Easy Terms

Located at Poplar Grove—A beautiful spot indeed—the coming residence district of Connellsville—only a 15-minute walk or a 5-minute car ride from "Brimstone Corner.

When you consider that farm lands in Fayette county are being sold at greater prices than you are offered this land right at your door in a developed and constantly improving neighborhood—then you'll start to realize how big these values really are.

Extensive Improvements—

Water in front of every lot, street improvements and fine shade trees. Church and Public School nearby. Every convenience right at your command.

It costs you nothing to get all the facts—simply write

C. B. McCORMICK

P. O. Box 144. CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

NEWS OF THE DAY AT MT. PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Fourth of July Parade Called Off That Coke Men May Work.

REMAINDER OF PROGRAM STANDS

Pittsburg Divine Will Be Speaker of Occasion at Frick Park, Where There Will Be Something Going on Entire Day; Draftees Off for Camp.

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, July 1.—By request of the fuel administrator the men of the coke region will work on July Fourth, and with this in mind Superintendent Lynch called T. O. Anderson, chairman of the parade committee for the Fourth, and asked him if they could not do away with the parade for this day. With its usual patriotic spirit the town was glad to cancel the parade that was being arranged by the Patriotic League. All day long, however, there will be something doing at the Frick park to entertain and amuse, and the speaker of the day is considered the finest that the bureau in Pittsburg has. He is Dr. Clarence L. Daugherty of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Pittsburg. The band concert that will be given in the evening by the Municipal band, is a feature attraction.

More to Go to Camp.

The first of this month's quota of draftees began leaving this morning at 7.20 when Ray Gelsthorpe and Harry Holmes, Jr., started for Camp Lee, Virginia, where they will have three months' training. During the week of the 15th Ben Stillwagon and Charles Mullin will leave for Lehigh university, South Bethlehem, where they will attend school. Wednesday evening James Fitzpatrick will leave to join the 301st Refrigerating Company at Washington, D. C., and during the week of July 22, 41 more will go. This will practically clean up Class 1 men, with the exception of four, who will be used as alternates.

Passes Examination.

Word has been received from Rev. E. Paul Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church, who left on Thursday for the Columbus barracks, that he had passed his physical examination and would be here about Friday to preach his farewell sermon on next Sunday before his appointment to chiplain in the army. Mr. Smith has had his application in for almost a year.

Autoist in Trouble.

Burgess S. P. Stevens was busy with police court over the week-end but money was hard to get. Of 10 persons that were given hearings only four paid fines. Three paid $5 and on $10. Five men are serving five days each and a woman three days. J. L. Armbrust, one of the men serving five days, was given this after he had refused to pay a $20 fine for resisting an officer. Tonight he will be given a hearing before the burgess for speeding and disorderly conduct, and for the other charges against him he will be taken before Justice of the Peace L. S. Rhodes. The burgess has also written to Harrisburg to have his license revoked.

Son is Born.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Randolph are the proud parents of a son, born at the Memorial hospital.

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, June 29.—Mr. and Mrs. William Ohler and son Frank of Mill Run, spent a day among Connellsville friends.

Clyde Pletcher was a business visitor at Connellsville.

Mrs. D. L. Mariatta and Miss Mildred Hawkins of Mill Run, spent a day here the guests of Miss Jean Illig.

H. J. Fisher left for his home in Wilkinsburg and will spend over Sunday with his family.

W. J. Metts, superintendent for the Rust Engineering company, was called to Pittsburg on account of the death of his father-in-law.

A. W. Nicholson of Dickerson Run, spent a few days with his family at Mill Run.

Miss Rose Steindl is spending today among Connellsville friends.

S. G. Switzler of Jones' Mill, is a business caller in Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brown are calling on Connellsville and Leisenring friends today.

If You Are Hunting Bargains
Read the advertiseing columns of The Daily Courier. You will find them.

When You Want Anything
Advertise in our Classified Column.

Baseball in Brief

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

St. Louis 2; Pittsburg 1.
*Pittsburg 5; St. Louis 4.
Cincinnati 7; Chicago 0.
*Cincinnati 7; Chicago 7.
*Eleven innings, called by agreement.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	42	18	.700
New York	41	20	.672
Boston	30	33	.476
Philadelphit	28	32	.467
Pittsburg	28	34	.452
Brooklyn	25	34	.424
Cincinnati	25	35	.417
St. Louis	24	37	.393

Today's Schedule.

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

BoBston 3; Washington 1.
St. Louis 4; Chicago 2.
Detroit 10; Cleveland 2.
Detroit 1; Cleveland 0.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	39	28	.582
New York	36	26	.581
Cleveland	39	31	.557
Washington	36	33	.522
Chicago	30	32	.484
St. Louis	31	35	.470
Detroit	27	35	.435
Philadelphia	22	40	.355

Today's Schedule.

St. Louis at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Washington.
Detroit at Cleveland.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, June 29.—Grant Pyle, the drayman, has loaded the household goods of Mr. and Mrs. John Treutle for Dayton, O. At the time Mr. and Mrs. Treutle left for Dayton several weeks ago, embargoes prevented them shipping their goods.

Mrs. Charles McDonald and son Raymond of Deal, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Davis at present.

The council has placed police signals at several of the most prominent crossings in town.

Mrs. M. H. Dean and little son of Addison, were here yesterday on their way to Pittsburg to visit friends.

Mrs. Margaret Stanton has gone to Meyersdale to visit friends.

Miss Minnie Augustine was here yesterday on her way to her home in Addison, after visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

CONFLUENCE, July 1.—W. H. Charles, a well known cattle dealer of Greensburg, was a week-end business visitor here last week.

Try our classified advertisements.

Mrs. Freeman Leighty and daughter, Mrs. Grover Shipley, were shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Mary Kate Davis, a student nurse in a hospital at New London, Conn., and who was spending two weeks' vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, returned to her work Saturday evening.

W. S. Bowers, who is a patient at Frantz hospital, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Joseph Dickson of Connellsville, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Davis here for several days.

Mrs. C. E. Tebby and two children have returned to their home in Green Springs, W. Va., after a visit of a few days here with friends. They formerly resided here.

Mrs. John Davis is visiting friends in Connellsville at present.

Mrs. W. E. Vansickel of Ursina, was here recently on her way home from a visit to Connellsville.

Markleton.

MARKLETON, June 28.—The I. O. O. F. memorial at Kingwood was largely attended, the principal address being made by Rev. Bracken.

Miss Roselyn Hall has gone to Grove City, where she will enroll as a student in the Grove City college.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McMillen are visiting in Harrisburg this week.

Quite a number of people from here attended the chautauqua at Confluence.

Patronize those who advertise.

J. B. Stutt of Boatwell, organized a grange at Kingwood on Tuesday night with 56 members.

Miss Bertha Kreger is home from California state normal, where she took a normal course this spring.

Who to Patronize.
Merchants who advertise their goods The Daily Courier.

CRIPPLING OF FUEL ADMINISTRATION IS POLITICIANS' PLAN

Would Make Dr. Garfield a Subordinate of Director General McAdoo.

BUFFALO CONGRESSMAN

Thinks Head of Railroad Administration is Equal to the Task of Relieving all Apprehension as to the Fuel Situation and Run the Railroads Too

Evidences are not wanting to show that an attempt is being made to cripple the Fuel Administration in its efforts to avert a fuel famine next winter. "The politicians," says The Black Diamond, "wishing to control coal to serve certain of their own purposes, have begun to try to control the Fuel Administration. This is believed to be only preliminary to taking over the coal mines.

"The advances of the politicians are told in a dispatch sent by Carter Field to the New York Tribune. This relates how Representative Smith of Buffalo proposed to President Wilson that the Fuel Administration be made a bureau under the Secretary of the Treasury, McAdoo.

"In his letter, Mr. Smith says, that the Fuel Administration is failing and that it should be taken over by another department. He fails to mention that the cause of the failure, in very large part, is the failure of the Railroad Administration to supply the transportation or to take in storage coal.

"The cause of the failure—the real cause—is therefore the very board which he suggests should be given control over coal. Just how the railroad administration would act to improve a situation it had made impossible, if it were placed in control of both coal and the railroads, is one of the missing points in Mr. Smith's communication."

The Washington dispatch in the Tribune was as follows:

"Irritated at the profusion of statements but lack of action on the part of Fuel Administrator Garfield to avert a fuel shortage next winter, Representative Charles H. Smith, of Buffalo, has recommended to President Wilson that the fuel administration be made a bureau in the treasury department, with a view of ending all differences between the two organizations and checking all shifting of responsibility from one to the other.

"Mr. Smith frankly thinks that Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo would stop issuing statements and take some action which would avoid the terrific cost, in money as well as suffering of a fuel famine.

"The President declined, for the present at least, to put Dr. Garfield under Mr. McAdoo; but assured Mr. Smith he felt keenly about the fuel situation, as well as the transportation situation, and had recently brought about a 'very much closer coordination' between the two organizations, which led him to believe that there would be much closer coöperation this winter than last.'

Congressman Smith is quoted as saying:

"I don't pretend to understand what is in Dr. Garfield's mind, but I know that we are drifting toward a fuel shortage that will be worse that that of last winter and he is doing nothing—absolutely nothing—except to issue statements calling on people to get their coal in early and to economize, and warning of the curtailments which will be necessary.

"I believe frankly that if Mr. McAdoo were in charge of the fuel situation—which the President admits 'centers about the problem of transportation'—all this apprehension of a fuel famine would shortly disappear, and we would find our coal bins next winter filled up to overflowing. I believe that not a factory would have to close down for lack of fuel and that not a family would suffer for lack of a fire if they could afford to buy coal.

"This belief is based merely on the assurance that Mr. McAdoo would take some quick action now to avoid this menace. If the railroads cannot carry the coal which is being mined, or which could be mined, he would have some extensions rushed in to the coal country on which the coal could be poured out. If the problem is getting enough coal mined, he would see to it that it was mined, even if it were necessary to conscript men to mine the coal.

"Incidentally, the loss from excess profits and income taxes alone which will result to the treasury from one workless day such as we experienced last winter would more than pay for the railroad construction necessary, if any should be shown to be necessary.

"As a matter of fact, I am informed that at present the railroad situation is ahead of the mining situation—that more cars can be delivered to every mine than that mine can fill. Meanwhile, Dr. Garfield talks of curtailment in industry and warns of a serious situation next winter, instead of doing something to stimulate mine production.

"I have little hope of the fuel situation so long as Dr. Garfield remains at the head of it. If Mr. McAdoo is too busy to take over this problem, some other man who is not afraid to act should be put in charge."

Complete instructions for home canning and drying will be sent to the readers of this paper upon application to the National War Garden Commission, Washington, D. C., enclosing a two-cent stamp for postage.

Gray Hair use Hay's Hair Health
A preparation for restoring natural color to gray or faded hair, for removing dandruff and as a hair-dressing. It not a dye. Generous sized bottles at all dealers, ready to use. Philo Hay Co., Newark, N. J.

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MOVING AND HOISTING PIANOS A SPECIALTY.
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"THE BIG STORE"
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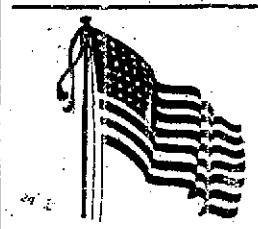
Big Reductions On All Women's Suits, Coats and Dresses.

Sale of Men's Dress Shirts, Good Quality Material, All Colors and Sizes, Special 94c



100% of The Big Store's employes have subscribed for War Savings Stamps. Do you realize how important a matter this is? Buy all you can—Uncle Sam is goin gto buy them back with big interest and preserve your liberty with it.

Watch Tuesday's Newspapers for the Big Event of July 4th Wearing Apparel.

We Promise Some Interesting Values.

MILLINERY SURPRISES!

Your Unrestricted Choioce of Any Hat in Our Stock, up to $7 Values,
SPECIAL TUESDAY $3.95
Every new White Milan Hat—every new Transparent Hat—every new Summer Leg a Hat—every new Straw and Georgette Hat—up to $7.00 values, for **$3.95**
About 150 Hats to Choose From.

Yough House RESTAURANT
Under New Management.
A Clean Quiet Place for Your Family to Eat.
Let Us Know What You Want and How You Want It.
GOOD SERVICE.
Mrs. C. J. Armstrong, Prop.

THE THEATRE THAT PLAYS ONLY THE BEST
ARCADE THEATRE
Come When You Please. Stay As Long As You Like.
Week of July 1st SHAFFER AND STOUDISH Present
The Girls From Huylers
In a Repertoire of High Class Musical Comedies, Featuring
NORMA STANDISH, BUD SCHAFFER,
BIG GIRLIE CHORUS
On the Sreen, Helen Holmes in
"The Lost Express"

PARAMOUNT THEATRE
10c —TODAY— 15c
THE ROMANCE OF A FIGHTING PARSON IS
"CYCLONE HIGGINS, D. D."
A 5 ACT METRO SCREEN DRAMA OF LOVE IN HOMESPUN STARRING FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN AND BEVERLY BAYNE
ALSO A 2 ACT KEYSTONE COMEDY.
—TOMORROW—
WORLD PRESENTS
"THE CABARET"
With an all-star cast including Carlyle Blackwell, Montague Love, June Elvidge, John Elvidge, George McQuarrie. The inside life of a New York Cabaret and the Bohemian centers of the great city is vividly shown in this picture.
ALSO A GOOD COMEDY AND THE UNIVERSAL WEEKLY.

SOISSON THEATRE
FORRY L. BROTT AND COMPANY
ARE RETAINED FOR THIS WEEK.
The comedies are changed three times as usual—Monday, Wednesday and Friday. There is also the addition of vaudeville acts which are changed Monday and Thursday.
PICTURES AS USUAL.
More laughs than sobs will be the offering on the screen hereafter.
MATINEES AT 2, 7 AND 9 P. M.

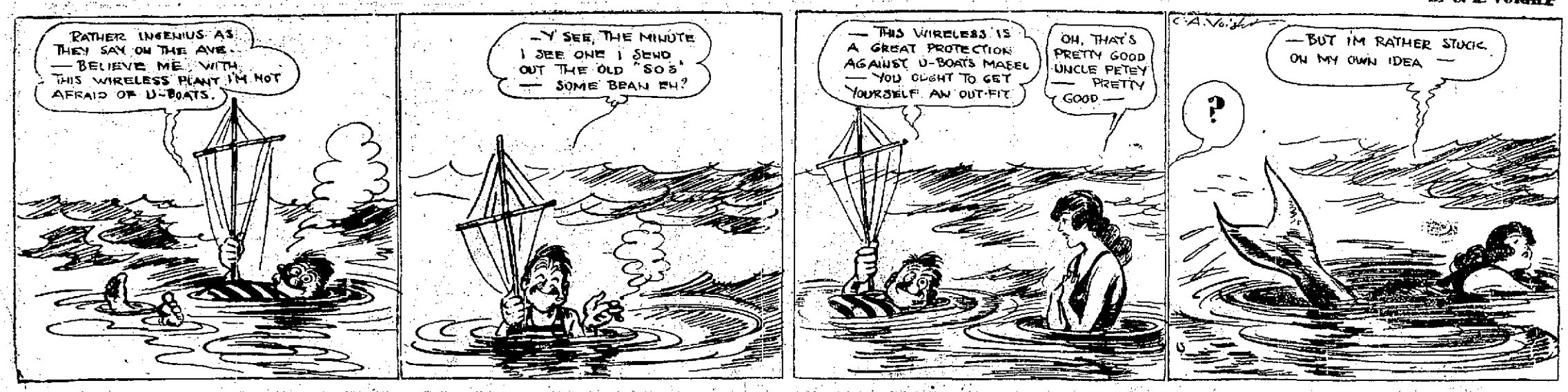
ORPHEUM THEATRE
TODAY AND TOMORROW
CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN
"A DOG'S LIFE"
Thomas H. Ince Presents DOROTHY DALTON in
"FLARE-UP SAL"
A Dance Hall girl's great sacrifice, wild romance, hold-ups, adventures, thrills, suspense, a little sob for the dance hall girl and a laugh of joy at the climax.

PATRONIZE HOME MERCHANTS WHO ADVERTISE IN THIS PAPER.

BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

WEAR Horner's Clothing

PETEY DINK—What Submarine Would Sink Such a Good Looking Fish? By C. A. VOIGHT



JACKIES ENJOY BOXING LESSONS AT CALIFORNIA NAVAL TRAINING STATION

This photograph shows two of the prominent boxing instructors at the Yerba Buena naval training station in a four-round match while the sailors cheer them on.

MANAGER HENDRICKS TAKES SUGGESTIONS

New Pilot of St. Louis Cardinals Gives His Players Power.

Methods of Mound City Leader in Directing Team Are Being Closely Watched by Critics—Refuses to "Ride" His Men.

No person in the major leagues, perhaps, has been so closely watched by recognized baseball critics thus far this season as has Jack Hendricks, who, after twelve years of successful piloting in the minor leagues, came to the St. Louis Nationals this year as manager.

What are his tactics? What methods does he pursue to win? Is he a czar or is he gentle? Is he a good loser? Will his men work for him? These are only a few of the questions that have been asked and the first days of the season have seen most of them answered.

Hendricks let it be known at the start of the season that he is not the one to refuse suggestions. He reserves final judgment for himself, but players who venture to tell their manager what should be done under certain circumstances are not rebuked—for Hendricks is not a czar. He realizes that he is new to the league, that he is practically unacquainted with the players and the strategy opposing him and he has asked that there be no modesty among his men.

Nor is Hendricks the type of manager who drives his players. Steady as to composure, quick thinking, he refuses to "ride" his men for mistakes. This does not mean that he is not critical, for he tells every man of his mistakes and impresses him with the fact that he doesn't wish them repeated.

Unlike Fielder Jones, who pilots the major league competitor in St. Louis, Hendricks does not keep a record of plays. He depends entirely on his memory.

OLD BASEBALLS ARE USEFUL

Yarn in Weenuet Pills Good for Knitting Sweaters for Soldier Boys Now in France.

A new use has been found for used baseballs, the discovery being made by President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh Pirates when he recently received a letter from a patriotic young woman reading as follows:

"The young women of our association are knitting sweaters, helmets, socks and other articles for the boys of the American expeditionary force in France. As a special favor we are going to ask you if you would kindly donate to us all the worn-out baseballs that may come into the possession of the Pittsburgh club this year.

"We have experimented with the yarn inside of the professional balls used by teams of the National league and find that it cannot be excelled for knitting work.

"If you can see your way clear to grant this request we feel that you will not only be doing us a great favor, but as well rendering a patriotic service for the American soldiers 'over there.'"

"SAILOR" MEEHAN IS POPULAR AS A BOXER

"Sailor" Willie Meehan, the Pacific coast heavyweight champion, is one of the most popular boxers who ever stepped over the ropes in a San Francisco ring. He is now stationed at the San Pedro naval training station, where he is acting as boxing instructor.

BASEBALL GAME IN FRANCE

Five Leagues or Sections Have Been Formed in American Army, Each of Six Teams.

Baseball in the American army in France gradually is becoming organized. Five leagues or sections have been formed, each of six teams, making 30 teams in all. The six teams of each section will play a short season, with the winners in each section meeting later. Besides these 30 recognized league teams, the soldiers, of course, have a few hundred other teams more or less definitely organized.

KILLEFER AT CAMP FUNSTON

Cub Catcher Will Join Grover Alexander Instead of Going to Custer—Lessens War Horrors.

Bill Killefer, catcher of the Cubs, will be allowed his preference of training camps when he goes into the army and will join Grover Alexander at Camp Funston, instead of going to Camp Custer, which would ordinarily be his cantonment according to location. Killefer and Alex are great comrades and the horrors of war will seem less to them if they are together.

WORLD'S CHAMPIONS SELDOM COME BACK

But Three Sets of Teams Have Accomplished This Feat.

Cubs, Tigers and Giants Are Only Clubs That Have Won Three Straight Pennants—St. Louis Browns Made Record.

If the Giants and White Sox meet in the world's series this fall they will be the fourth pair of teams to meet twice in succession for the title.

Baseball history dating back to 1884 shows that but three sets of teams have accomplished this feat before, and the Cubs and Tigers are the only teams in modern baseball history who have monopolized the big series for two straight years.

The famous Cubs of 1906 to 1908 won three straight pennants for Chicago in the National league, and their first world's series in modern competition between the National and American leagues resulted in defeat at the hands of the White Sox. The next two years, 1907 and 1908, the Cubs battled Detroit in the fall classic, and on both occasions they annexed the bunting.

Another interesting feature is the fact that the Cubs, Tigers and Giants are the only clubs that have won three straight pennants in either big league since the American league was formed.

In title series for the world's championship prior to the formation of the American league the Chicago Nationals and the famous old St. Louis Browns of the American association met two successive years for the championship—in 1885 and 1886. In 1894 and 1896 Cleveland and Baltimore met in what was known as the Temple Cup series, played between the first and second place clubs in the National league.

So the White Sox and Giants, picked by a majority of the critics to repeat in their respective leagues this year, have a chance to break into a rather exclusive class of world's series teams.

While mentioning past performances of ball clubs it appears that the old St. Louis Browns of Chris von Der Ahe established a record that will probably stand for many years to come. The Browns won four straight pennants in the old American association.

BODIE, MOST "KIDDED" PLAYER, IS YANK STAR

One of baseball's most ridiculed players is now the sensation of the Yankees. He is Ping Bodie, who has been kidded ever since he broke into the big leagues. Ping went to the White Sox heralded as a fence buster, and when he failed to live up to his reputation he was joshed so much that he had to leave the team.

But Bodie appears to have found himself. He has been largely instrumental in the rejuvenated Yanks winning. The club is climbing to the front, and Bodie's big stick is responsible.

Foster Quits Baseball.

George Foster, former Red Sox pitcher, declares he is out of baseball for good. He refused a Cincinnati contract for $4,200 and a bonus of $1,000 for winning 20 games.

DIAMOND NOTES

Cy Falkenberg seems to be about due for a trial in the majors.

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Al Wickland is the Boston Braves' leading outfielder and slugger.

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After hitting safely in eleven games George Sisler went hitless before Carl Mays.

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Pat Moran seems to have good right handers in his club, but is shy of left handers.

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We don't hear so much of the bean ball this year. Players' heads must be growing harder.

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Oscar Tuero, the Cuban pitcher, has been recalled from Little Rock by the St. Louis Nationals.

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Merlto Acosta has been turned over to the Atlanta Crackers in the deal that will send Val Picinich to the Griffs.

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Tommy Long, once a major leaguer, but better known as a Southern leaguer, has been called in the draft.

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Buck Freeman, one time home-run king of the big leagues, is now earning his daily bread umpiring in the American association.

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Ruth has played three positions for the Red Sox this season, Schang has played two and McInnis has been at third base and at first.

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For a team that has several of its sluggers batting right handed the St. Louis Cardinals are unusually weak against left-handed pitching.

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Whether McInnis would have become a great third baseman or not will not be known, as he is back at first base again and quite likely to stay there.

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The Cincinnati Reds are down to the smallest roster carried by any big league club since 1892. There are but 17 players on Garry Herrmann's pay roll.

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The Ontario Baseball Amateur association has succeeded the Ontario baseball commission as the governing body in amateur baseball in the Dominion of Canada.

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No one talks of Heinie Zimmerman as a veteran of the game, but he is. He is one of the oldest players in point of service in the National league. He has been in it 13 years.

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Ollie O'Mara has improved greatly in his all around play since he had his first tryout with the Robins. Lack of confidence hurt him then, but a sojourn in the minors fixed that.

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With the departure of Barnes for Camp Funston, the Giants ran up a total of five men contributed to the National army this season. The others are Baird, Kelly, John Paul Jones and Rube Benton.

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Manager Mitchell of the Cubs contends that Hal Chase is the king of first basemen, and in that he is supported by Willie Keeler, who says that Chase knows more about playing the bag than any other man he has ever seen.

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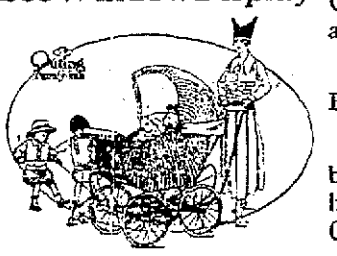

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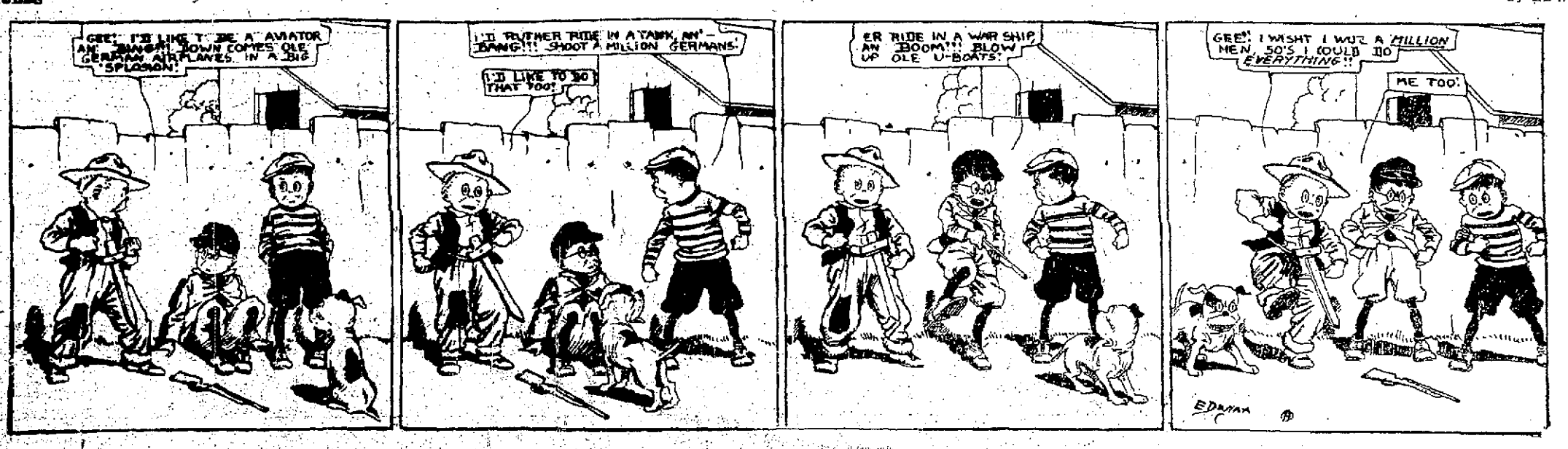

GUNNER DEPEW

by Albert N. Depew

EX-GUNNER AND CHIEF PETTY OFFICER, U. S. NAVY
MEMBER OF THE FOREIGN LEGION OF FRANCE
CAPTAIN GUN TURRET, FRENCH BATTLESHIP CASSARD
WINNER OF THE CROIX DE GUERRE

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We ran across No Man's Land. I cannot remember much about it. But when we got to the German trench I fell on top of a young fellow and my bayonet went right through him. It was a crime to get him, at that. He was as delicate as a pencil.

When I got back to our trenches after my first charge I could not sleep for a long time afterward, for remembering what that fellow looked like and how my bayonet slipped into him and how he screamed when he fell. He had his legs and his neck twisted under him after he got it. I thought about it a lot and it got to be almost a habit that whenever I was going to sleep I would think about him and then all hope of sleeping was g...

Our company took a German trench that time and along with another company four hundred prisoners. We had to retire because the men on our sides did not get through and we were being flanked. But we lost a lot of men doing it.

When we returned to our trenches our outfit was simply all in and we were lying around in the front line, like a bunch of old rags in a narrow alley. None of us showed any signs of life except a working party that was digging with picks and shovels at some bodies that had been frozen into the mud of the trench.

I used to think all the Germans were big and fat and strong, and, of course, some of the grenadier regiments are, but lots of the Boches I saw were little and weak like this fellow I "got" in my first charge.

It was a good piece of work to take the prisoners and a novelty for me to look them in the face—the fellows I had been fighting. Because, when you look a Hun in the face, you can see the yellow streak. Even if you are their prisoner you can tell that the Huns are yellow.

Maybe you have heard pigs being butchered. It sounded like that when we got to them. When they attacked us they yelled to beat the band. I guess they thought they could scare us. But you cannot scare machine guns nor the foreign legion either. So when they could not scare us they were up against it and had to fight. I will admit, though, that the first time Fritz came over and began yelling I thought the whole German army was after me, at that, and Kaiser Bill playing the drum. And how they hate a bayonet! They would much rather sit in a ditch and pot you.

I admit I am not crazy about bayonet fighting myself, as a general proposition, but I will say that there have been times when I was serving a gun behind the front lines when I wished for a rifle and a bayonet in my hands and a chance at Fritz man to man.

It was in this charge that our chaplain was put out of commission. As we were lined up, waiting to climb on to the fire step and then over the parapet, this chaplain came down the line speaking to each man as he went. He would not say much, but just a few words, and then make the sign of the cross. He was in a black cassock.

He was just one man from me as we got the word and stood up on the fire step. He was not armed with as much as a pin, but he jumped up on

Stuck His Head Over the Parapet and Got It Square.

the step and stuck his head over the parapet and got it square, landing right beside me. I thought he was killed, but when we got back we found he was only wounded. The men who saw it were over the parapet before the order was given and then the whole bunch after them, because they, too, thought he was killed and figured he never would know how they came out about their vows. All the men in the company were glad when they found he was only wounded.

While half of us were on the firing step throughout the day or night the other half would be in the dugouts or sitting around in the bottom of the trench, playing little games, or mending clothes or sleeping or cooking or doing a thousand and one things. The men were always in good humor at such times and it seemed to me even more so when the enemy fire was heavy.

If a man was slightly wounded down would come the rifles to order arms, and some pollu was sure to shout, "Right this way. One franc." It was a standing joke and they always did it. The pollu who did it most was a Swiss and he was always playing a joke on somebody or imitating some one of us or making faces.

We were all sorry when this Swiss "went west," as the Limeys say, and we tried to keep up his jokes and say the same things and so forth. But they did not go very well after he was dead. He got his in the same charge in which the chaplain was wounded. He was one of the bunch that charged before the order was given, when the chaplain got it, and was running pretty near me until we got to the Boche wire. I had to stop to get through, though most of it was cut up by artillery fire, but he must have jumped it, for when I looked up he was twenty or thirty paces ahead of me. We got to the Germans about that time and I was pretty busy for a while. But soon I saw him again. He was pulling his bayonet out of a Boche when another made a jab at him and stuck him in the arm. Then the Boche made a swing at him with his rifle, but the Swiss dropped on one knee and dodged it. He kept defending himself with his rifle, but there was another German on him by this time and he could not get up. The corporal of our squad came up just about that time, but he was too late, because one of the Boches got to the Swiss with his bayonet. He did not have time to withdraw it before our corporal stuck him. The other German made a pass at the corporal, but he was too late. The corporal beat him to it and felled him with a terrific blow from his rifle butt. The Huns were pretty thick around there just as another fellow and myself came up. A Boche swung his rifle at the corporal and when he dodged it the Boche almost got me. The swing took him off his feet and then the corporal did as pretty a bit of work as I ever saw. He jumped for the Boche, who had fallen, landed on his face with both feet and gave it to the next one with his bayonet all at the same time. He was the quickest man I ever saw.

There were a couple of well-known savate men in the next company and I saw one of them get under Fritz's guard with his foot and, believe me, there was some force in that kick. He must have driven the German's chin clear through the back of his neck.

We thought it was pretty tough luck to lose both the chaplain and the village wit in the same charge, along with half of our officers, and then have to give up the trench. Every man in the bunch was sore as a boil when we got back.

CHAPTER VII.

Stopping the Huns at Dixmude.

I was standing in a communication trench that connected one of our front-line trenches with a crater caused by the explosion of a mine. All around me men of the third line were coming up, climbing around, digging, hammering, shifting planks, moving sandbags up and down, bringing up new timbers, reels of barbed wire, ladders, cases of ammunition, machine guns, trench mortars—all the things that make an army look like a general store on legs.

The noise of the guns was just deafening. Our own shells passed not far above our heads, so close were the enemy trenches, and the explosions were so near and so violent that when you rested your rifle butt on something solid, like a rock, you could feel it shake and hum every time a shell landed.

Our first line was just on the outskirts of the town, in trenches that had been won and lost by both sides many times. Our second line was in the streets and the third line was almost at the south end of the town.

The Huns were hard at it, shelling the battered remains of Dixmude, and to the right stretcher bearers were working in lines so close that they looked like two parades passing each other. But the bearers from the company near me had not returned from the emergency dressing station and the wounded were piling up, waiting for them.

A company of the 2me Legion Etrangere had just come up to take their stations in the crater, under the parapet of sandbags. A shell landed among them just before they entered the crater and sent almost a whole squad west, besides wounding several others.

Almost before they occupied the crater the wires were laid and reached back to us, and the order came for us to remain where we were until further orders.

Then we got the complete orders. We were to make no noise but were all to be ready in ten minutes. We put on goggles and respirators. In ten minutes the bombers were to leave the trenches. Three mines were to explode and then we were to take and hold a certain portion of the enemy trenches not far off. We were all ready to start up the ladders when they moved Nig's section over to ours and he sneaked up to me and whispered behind his hand, "Be a sport, Doc; make it fifty-fifty and gimme a chance."

I did not have any idea what he meant and he had to get back to his squad. Then the bombers came up to the ladders, masked and with loaded sacks on their left arms. "One minute now," said the officers, getting on their own ladders and drawing their revolvers—though most of the officers of the Legion charged with rifle and bayonet like their men.

Then—Boom! Slam! Bang!—and the mines went off.

"Allez!" and then the parapet was filled with bayonets and men scrambling and crawling and falling and getting up again. The smoke drifted back on us, and then our own machine guns began ahead of us.

Up toward the front the bombers were fishing in their bags and throwing, just like boys after a rat along the docks. The black smoke from the "Jack Johnsons" rolled over us and probably there was gas, too, but you could not tell.

The front lines had taken their trenches and gone on and you could see them, when you stood on a parapet, running about like hounds through the enemy communication trenches, bombing out dugouts, disarming prisoners—very scary-looking in their masks and goggles. The wounded were coming back slowly. Then we got busy with our work in the dugouts and communication trenches and fire bays, with bayonets and bombs, digging the Boches out and sending them "west." And every once in a while a Fritz on one side would step out and yell "Kamerad," while, like as not, on the other side, his pal would pot you with a revolver when you started to pick him up, thinking he was wounded.

Then we stood aside at the entrance to a dugout and some Boches came out in single file, shouting "Kamerad"

The Bombers Were Fishing in Their Bag and Throwing.

for all they were worth. One of them had his mask and face blown off; yet he was trying to talk, with the tears rolling down over the raw flesh. He died five minutes later.

One night, while I was lying back in the trench trying not to think of anything and go to sleep the bombs began to get pretty thick around there, and when I could not stand it any longer I rushed out into the bay of the fire trench and right up against the parapet, where it was safer.

Hundreds of star shells were being sent up by both sides and the field and the trenches were as bright as day. All up and down the trenches our men were dodging about, keeping out of the way of the bombs that were being thrown in our faces. It did not seem as if there was any place where it was possible to get cover. Most of the time I was picking dirt out of my eyes that explosions had driven into them.

If you went into a dugout the men already in there would shout, "Don't stick in a bunch—spread out!" While you were in a dugout you kept expecting to be buried alive and when you went outside you thought the Boches were aiming at you direct—and there was no place at all where you felt safe.

But the fire bay looked better than the other places to me. I had not been there more than a few minutes when a big one dropped in and that bay was just one mess. Out of the 24 men in the bay only eight escaped.

When the stretcher bearers got there they did not have much to do in the way of rescue—it was more pallbearer's work.

A stretcher bearer was picking up one of the boys, when a grenade landed alongside of him and you could not find a fragment of either of them. That made two that landed within twelve feet of me; yet I was not even scratched.

When I got so that I could move I went over to where the captain was standing, looking through a periscope over the parapet. I was very nervous and excited and was afraid to speak to him, but somehow I thought I ought to ask for orders. But I could not say a word. Finally a shell whizzed over our heads—just missed us, it seemed like, and I broke out: "What did you see? What's all of the news?" and so on. I guess I chattered like a monkey.

Then he yelled: "You're the gunner officer. You're just in time—I've located their mortar batteries."

I surely wished I was the gunner officer. I would have enjoyed it more if I could have got back at Fritz somehow. But I was not the gunner officer and I told him so. I had to shout at him quite a while before he would believe me. Then he wanted me to find the gunner officer, but I did not know where to find him. If I could have got to our guns I guess I would have had another medal for working overtime, but I missed the chance there.

About this time another bomb came over and clouted out the best friend I had in my company. Before the war he had been one of the finest singers in the Paris opera houses. When he was with us he used to say that the only difference between him and Caruso was $2,500 a night.

A pollu and I dragged him into a dugout, but it was too late. One side of his face was blown off; the whole right side of him was stripped off and four fingers of the right hand were gone.

I stuck my head out of the dugout and there was the captain discussing the matter with himself, cursing the Germans from here to Helgoland and putting in a word for the bombs every once in a while. All up and down the trenches you could hear our men cursing the Germans in all kinds of languages. Believe me, I did my bit and I could hear somebody else using good old United States cuss words, too. It certainly did not make me feel any better, but it gave me something to do. I think that was why all of us cursed so much then, though we were pretty handy with language at any time. But when you are under heavy fire like that and cannot give it back as good as you get, you go crazy unless you have something to do. Cussing is the best thing we could think of.

Up the trench the third bay was simply smashed in and the Germans were placing bomb after bomb right in it and in ours. The captain yelled out that he was going up to the next bay to examine it, but no more had he got there than he had his head taken clean off his shoulders.

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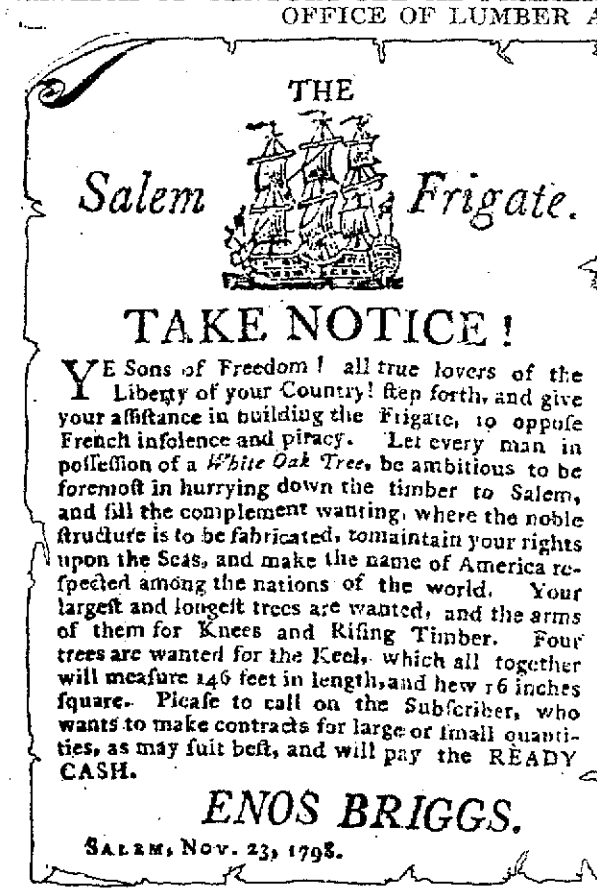

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Provost Marshal General Crowder has issued the following statement in explanation of the "work or fight" regulations which apply to registrants on and after July 1:

"The regulations provide that any persons engaged in certain enumerated classes of occupations and employments in which he is rendering no effective assistance to the nation in the present crisis shall, even though he may have been given a deferred classification, either engage in some other occupation or employment that is productive or enter the military service.

"When it has been determined that a person in a deferred classification is an idler or is engaged in a non-productive occupation or employment the classification and order number of such person will be withdrawn and he will be immediately inducted into the military service.

"The regulations provide that persons engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either, in public places, including hotels and social clubs, are engaged in non-productive occupations or employments. This, however, does not include managers, clerks, cooks, or other employes unless they are actually engaged in the serving of food and drink, or either.

"The regulations further provide that passenger-elevator operators and attendants and doormen, footmen, carriage openers, and other attendants in clubs, hotels, stores, apartment houses, office buildings and bath houses are engaged in non-productive occupations or employments. The words "other attendants" include bell boys and also include porters, unless such porters are engaged in heavy work.

"The regulations further provide that persons, including ushers and other attendants, engaged and occupied in and in connection with games, sports, and amusements, excepting actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas or theatrical performances, are engaged in non-productive occupations or employments. This includes, in addition to ushers and other attendants, all persons engaged and occupied in games sports, and amusements, except actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas, or theatrical performances.

"The regulations further provide that a person engaged in domestic service is engaged in a non-productive employment or occupation, but this does not include public or private chauffeurs, unless they should also be engaged in some other occupation or employment defined as non-productive.

"The regulations further provide that sales clerks and other clerks employed in stores and other mercantile establishments are engaged in non-productive employments, but this does not include store executives, managers, superintendents, nor the heads of such departments as accounting, financial, advertising credit, purchasing, delivery, receiving shipping and other departments; does not include registered pharmacists employed in wholesale and retail drug stores or establishments; and does not include traveling salesmen, buyers, delivery drivers, electricians, engineers, carpet layers, upholsterers nor any employes doing heavy work outside the usual duties of clerks. However, 'sales clerks and other clerks' include the clerical force in the office and in all departments of stores and mercantile establishments. The words "stores and other mercantile establishments' include both wholesale and retail stores and mercantile establishments engaged in selling goods and wares.

"Local and district boards will consider cases of withdrawal of deferred classification and late order numbers with sympathy and common sense, and the regulations provide that they shall accept as a reasonable excuse for temporary idleness or for being engaged in a non-productive occupation or employment the following:

"(a) Sickness.

"(b) Reasonable vacation.

"(c) Lack of reasonable opportunity for employment in any occupation outside of those described as non-productive.

"(d) Temporary absences (not regular vacations) from regular employment, not to exceed one week, unless such temporary absences are habitual and frequent, shall not be considered as idleness.

"(e) Where there are compelling domestic circumstances that would not permit change of employment by the registrant without disproportionate hardship to his dependents, or where a change from a non-productive to a productive employment or occupation would necessitate the removal of the registrant from his place of residence, and such removal would, in the judgment of the board, cause unusual hardship to the registrant or his family; or when such change of employment would necessitate the night employment of women under circumstances deemed by the boards unsuitable for such employment of women, boards are authorized to consider any or all such circumstances as reasonable excuse for non-productive employment.

"In addition to the cases where reasonable excuses may be accepted for temporary idleness or for being engaged in a non-productive occupation or employment, local and district boards have authority under the regulations to withhold or postpone action for a reasonable time in cases where it appears that the registrant in good faith is, or has been, seeking productive employment, and that such reasonable postponement will enable him to secure such employment.

"The United States Employment Service will assist registrants in securing work of a productive character. Any registrant desiring such assistance will, upon application to his local board, be referred to the agent or local director of the Employment Service, and every local board will furnish such agent or local director with a list of the names and addresses of registrants who apply to them for information concerning employment, and also a list of the names and addresses of registrants who have been notified to appear."

LOSES PLACE AS HEAD OF RUSSIAN RAILWAY MISSION.

Dr. George V Lomonosoff, head of the Russian railway mission to the United States, has been dismissed from his post by the Russian ambassador because of a statement issued by Lomonosoff opposing allied intervention in Russia and upholding the bolshevik government.

ASSIGNED CARS FOR COMMERCIAL COAL NOW CANCELLED

On the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroads.

MINE RATING TO BE BASE

Of Distribution and All Have Equal Chance to Furnish Coal for Railroad Use; No Preference as Was Formerly the Practice; Is in Effect.

Beginning on Monday of this week the "assigned" car became a thing of the past insofar as relates to the shipment of coal for railroad use over the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio roads. Official notice from the Fuel Administration was given the officials of these roads directing that, beginning Sunday, they must cancel their assignments of cars to bituminous mines for the loading of coal for railroad use, either domestic or foreign, operating east of Pittsburg.

R. W. Gardiner, district representative of the Fuel Administration in the Pittsburg district, is quoted as saying that the new order is one of the most important moves for the betterment of the coal situation that the Fuel Administration has made, because it gives everybody interested a "square deal." The two roads named must give any coal operator the number of cars he is entitled to under his rating, and not give plenty of cars to certain mines and few or none at others.

"All bituminous coal mines in the districts contributory to the Pennsylvania railroad, east, and the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, east, will be given a chance to furnish coal to those railroads, and not a chosen few mines be given preference as heretofore," Mr Gardiner said.

"The new order gives all the operators an equal footing, their capacity to furnish coal, of course, being considered—and it will give all miners a better working chance and be much more satisfactory all around.

"The railroads, however, must be furnished with 100 per cent of the coal they need, and it is up to the Fuel Administration, to see that the roads get that percentage. The order will really speed up coal production, although it will cause a slackening of the output of certain mines that have heretofore had a plentiful supply of cars, but it will give mines that have been usually short of cars an increased supply.

"The New York Central received an order cancelling the assignment of cars for commercial coal sometime ago. In all probability it will be only a matter of a short time before the order will be extended to all the roads of the country."

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD June 29.—At the parsonage of the M E church Wednesday at 10 A M, Mr J. C Beatty of Vanderbilt, and Miss Jane Bell of Smithfield, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Rev Ralph Bell, father of the bride, performed the ceremony in accordance with the ritual of the M E church. The wedding was a quiet affair. Beside the family of the bride and the father and mother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. A. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. T O Wise and Mrs. Erehart, friends and near neighbors of the bride were present.

W E Irwin of Uniontown, was a business visitor Thursday.

B F Sutton was a Uniontown business visitor Thursday.

William Bergin of Baxter's Ridge, was a borough business visitor Wednesday.

W J Ruble of Ruble, and Prof. J T King audited the books of the First National Bank this week.

C H O'Neil was transacting business in Uniontown Friday.

Mrs Aaron Bosley of Old Frame, was a borough shopper Thursday.

Philip Bixler of German township, was in the borough Friday and signed articles of agreement for the lease of the late Dr J R Goodwin's farm in Nicholson township. He leases for the term of one year, with the privilege of three years. This farm is known as the John Hunsaker farm and is in a good state of cultivation.

Elmer McFadden, home on furlough from Camp Lee, came up from his home at Fairchance Friday and called on friends here. His brother Homer is with the American army in France. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. George McFadden of Fairchance.

JULY 4, 1776—JULY 4, 1918

An anniversary that in the year of 1918 will be celebrated by the world. No longer is it a day to be observed solely within the boundaries of our country. A greater significance of this day has appeared upon the horizon of the world, heralding the universal brotherhood of nations. Let our celebrations of this great day be dignified with the importance of this occasion. Let us unfurl our flags, open our hearts, give voice to the sentiment within our souls, and renew our unselfish allegiance to the cause of World Liberty.

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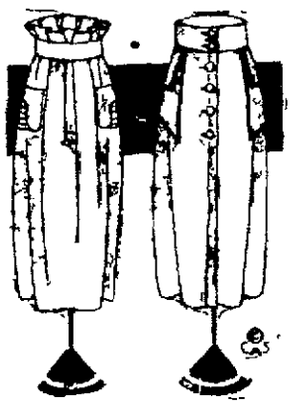

Early in the season we felt that this would be a season of Wash Skirts. And so it has proved. We have kept in the market constantly, selecting the best of the new styles, and hardly a day goes by that we do not receive a few. Dozens of women will need a new one for the Fourth. For these women we are ready.

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The very choicest models of four of America's greatest clothing makers are here for you to choose from, including the newest colors and smartest styles.

No matter what your requirements as to size, we can fit you—and do it properly.

"No-Wate" Suits for the Hot Weather

Make the best of hot weather. Dress to meet it. Half the battle of keeping cool is looking cool. You'll do both if you dress in linen,—in flannels,—in light serge—in wash fabrics—or in Silk. That's what most men are doing. Come in and let us show you how well you will look in real Summer Clothes and how easy it is on your pocketbook.

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At 25c

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—Jewelry, 25c upwards.
—Belts, 25c, 50c, $1.00.
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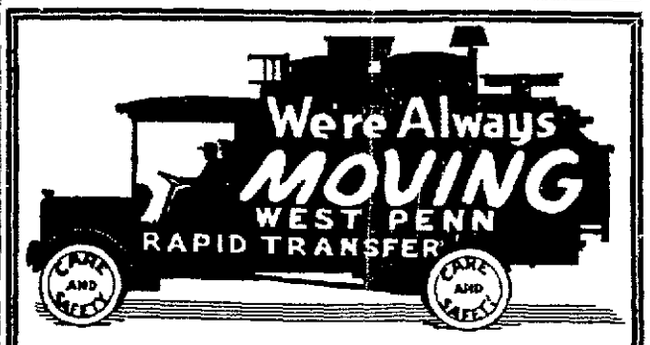

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